THE WEATHER TODAY
Washington, D. C., Nov. 12.—Probably rain south and rain or snow in north Monday and probably Tuesday.

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SHAKEUP RUMORS HELD PREMATURE

Personnel of Next Cabinet Still Remote Issue

OTHER MATTERS FIRST

President at White House to Take Up Public Matters After Long Absence

Washington, D. C., Nov. 12.—President Wilson came back to Washington tonight, ready to take up waiting public problems and begin framing plans for his second term in the White House. He had been away two months.

A cheering crowd packed the railroad station and waited outside in a drizzle of rain to welcome the President. Hundreds began shouting and rushed forward in efforts to shake his hand.

Mr. Wilson walked through the station bowing and smiling and was taken through the presidential waiting room to an automobile outside.

Election Results Unchanged.

The President was assured by Secretary Tumulty that there had been no change in the results in California and that there was a chance of his capturing the electoral vote of Minnesota. The President, however, is not expected to indicate his attitude toward the outcome until it is formally conceded by the Republicans.

One of the first problems to be laid before President Wilson will be the situation resulting from recent activities by German submarines. Secretary Lansing is expected to lay before him a summary of recent developments collected at the state department, dealing particularly with the Marina, Columbian, Arabia and Lanao cases. No secret is made of the belief of some officials that the situation is serious.

The President made it clear to friends that the policy toward submarine warfare laid down in the note to Germany, concluding with correspondence on the Sussex case, will be followed strictly. In his campaign speeches he declared that in case the administration was defeated at the election it would have difficulty dealing with foreign problems between now and March 4. Now that he has been re-elected, however, he is known to feel that his course generally has been approved by the nation and that he can proceed with a free hand.

Will Confer With Gerard.

Mr. Wilson probably will have another conference in the near future with James W. Gerard, American ambassador to Germany, who has been in this country for several months. The President also will take up consideration of the Mexican situation promptly.

A number of important appointments are to be made soon, but some of them may be postponed until congress convenes. They include the members of the tariff commission, the shipping board, several federal judges and a board to administer the workingmen's compensation law for federal employes. Postmasters at New York and Chicago also are to be appointed.

Reports that the President has decided on changes in his cabinet, were said tonight by officials to be premature. While it is possible one or more of the present cabinet members may not remain in the President's official family after March 7, officials insist that he has not yet even considered the question.

New York Greets Wilson.

New York, Nov. 12.—President and Mrs. Wilson passed through this city on their way from Williamstown, Mass., to Washington. They spent only about half an hour here, long enough to proceed from the naval Yacht Mayflower to the Pennsylvania station. Both at the landing place at 79th street and the Hudson river station and at the railroad station crowds cheered the President.

The President's automobile became stalled for a moment on a steep hill above the Hudson river landing and several men pressed forward and shook his hand.

Just before his special train left here, the President appeared on the back platform and shook hands with several trainmen. One of them shouted: "Thanks for the eight hour law." Mr. Wilson bowed and smiled.

In the President's party were his daughter, Miss Margaret Wilson, and his cousin, Miss Helen Woodrow Bones. They boarded the Mayflower at Rhinecliff.

On the way from the yacht to the railroad station, the President's automobile passed the hotel where Charles E Hughes is staying. Colonel E. M. House and Charles R. Crane of Chicago, president of the Wilson Business Men's league, met Mr. Wilson here. Mr. Crane accompanied the President to Washington.

Airmen Shell German Villages.

Berlin, Germany, Nov. 12, via London, England. — Enemy aeroplanes on Friday afternoon attacked industrial work in Saar region, dropping bombs on the villages of Volkinten, Wehrden and Forbach, killing three inhabitants and wounding two slightly, two seriously, says an official announcement given out here today. "No military damage was inflicted. The material damage was small."

TWO MOTORISTS KILLED

Two Others of School Party Struck by Train Are Seriously Hurt.

Newark, Nov. 12. — Two persons were instantly killed and three others badly injured, one of them fatally, here today when the automobile in which they were riding was struck by the Empire State express at the East Palmyra pump station. The dead are Thelma Jackson, 16, and Richard Jackson, 14, of Newark. The injured are Mabbie Clark, 16, back broken; Gladys Clark, 18, and Harold Scarth, 18. All are Newark High school students, with the exception of Miss Clark, who is a student of the university of Rochester.

Miss Clark, who was driving, is said to have started the car across the tracks after a freight train had passed without stopping to look for another train. She and young Scarth, who was seated beside her, were only slightly injured. Her brother, Malbie Clark, is not expected to recover.

BEGIN VOTE RECOUNT IN CALIFORNIA TODAY

REPUBLICANS WITHHOLD CONCESSIONS PENDING OUTCOME

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 12.—The official count of California's vote in the presidential election will begin tomorrow and steps have been taken not only to expedite the work, but to insure its accuracy. Both the Democratic and Republican State Central committees have engaged checkers and attorneys to scrutinize the count and tonight all preparations are reported complete.

The Republican State Central committee was busy today getting in figures on the individual vote of all electors in the belief, it was announced, that at least some of the Republican electors might be found to have enough votes to qualify for the electoral college.

With 17 isolated precincts still unreported, the vote tonight stood: Hughes 462,828; Wilson 466,106. The missing votes, it was generally believed, will not materially change President Wilson's majority of 3,278.

Hughes Awaits Final Results.

New York, Nov. 12. — Charles E. Hughes and William R. Willcox, chairman of the Republican National committee, planned to remain in New York a week or more to await the results of the official count of the votes in California, it was announced tonight. Once the official count is finished, they expect to take a vacation, Mr. Willcox said.

The national chairman called on Mr. Hughes at his hotel this afternoon. Later Mr. Willcox said:

"We are in the same position as we have been since election night. We want an official count in California to assure the re-election of Mr. Wilson before we are willing to concede defeat. Far be it from us to deprive President Wilson of one single vote properly cast for him."

A great many messages from all parts of the country were received at Republican headquarters. Mr. Willcox said many of them were "complaints of every kind."

CASE AGAINST GRAVES WILL BE READY TODAY

EMPEROR WILLIAM'S NAME MAY FIGURE IN PROCEEDINGS

Washington, D. C., Nov. 12.—Arrangements for the prosecution of Carl Armgaard Graves, self styled master spy and magazine writer, who was arrested here yesterday on a charge of attempting to extort $3,000 from Countess Von Bernstorff, wife of the German ambassador, will be completed tomorrow at a conference between agents of the department of justice, representatives of the district attorney's office and Prince Hatzfeldt, consular of the German embassy.

The name of Emperor William of Germany may be brought into the case indirectly as a result of this conference. A diplomatic representative in a foreign country cannot divest himself of his immunity from giving testimony without special permission from his sovereign. As Graves conversed solely with Prince Hatzfeldt it may be that the district attorney's office may determine that his testimony is essential.

It is not expected that either Countess von Bernstorff or the German ambassador will appear against Graves. The warrant was sworn out by A. Bruce Bielaski, chief of the bureau of investigation of the department of justice as the complaining witness.

The warrant is made out on two counts. One charges attempt to extort, penalty for which is five years imprisonment or a fine of $1,000 or both. The other charge is that Graves brought into the District of Columbia letters obtained by theft; the penalty for this offence being nearly as severe as for the first one.

Have You Got Yours?

Washington, D. C., Nov. 12.—Money in circulation in the United States on November 1 amounted to $4,241,162,119. Treasury officials report the per capita circulation was $41.18 on that date.

COLUMBIAN SUNK BY GERMAN FIRE

Tempest Keeps American Ship U-Boat Captive Two Days

CREW LANDS IN SPAIN

Attack May Be Basis for Radical Changes in President's German Policy

Paris, France, Nov. 12.—A wireless dispatch from Madrid says it was a German submarine which sank the American steamship Columbian.

According to this information, the Columbian encountered the submarine on November 6, during a violent tempest. The submarine compelled the Columbian to interrupt her voyage and to lie under surveyance until November 8. When the storm subsided, the dispatch says, the submarine ordered the crew to abandon the ship and then sank her.

A Havas dispatch from Madrid quotes the newspapers of Coruna, Spain, where the crew is reported to have landed, to the effect that when the Columbian was held up the submarine ordered the crew to disembark, but that the storm was so severe that this was impossible until two days later.

The dispatch also says that the Norwegian steamships Baldo and Fordalen were destroyed in the same manner on November 9.

Distress Calls Heard Wednesday.

London, England, Nov. 12. — A Reuter's dispatch from Madrid says that the crew of the American steamship Columbian has arrived at Coruna, Spain. Calls for help from the Columbian, saying it was being shelled, were picked up Wednesday by admiralty stations.

Nothing further was heard of the Columbian until last night when Lloyd's announced she had been sunk. The dispatch telling of the arrival of the crew followed quickly.

The Columbian, 8,571 tons gross, was under American registry and sailed from New York October 18, and Boston October 21 for Genoa. It was reported at St. Nazairre, France, November 2 and left that port the next day for Italy.

The Columbian was owned by the American-Hawaiian Steamship company of New York and was built in San Francisco in 1907. It carried no passengers but had a crew of about 113 officers and men.

The Columbian was under charter by the France and Canadia Steamship company, with offices in New York.

Report Confirmed by Consul.

Washington, Nov. 12. — The case of the American steamship Columbian, reported sunk off the Spanish coast, will be laid before President Wilson by the state department early next week, as part of a general summary of recent submarine operations, construed by some in authority as forecasting a radical change in the German policy.

Information regarding the Columbian was incomplete tonight. Late in the day the American consul at Balboa forwarded the report that the vessel had been sunk thirty miles off Cape Ortegal and the crew saved, but no details were given.

Points to be cleared up before a decision is reached involve the questions of whether the vessel was fired on without warning, whether it carried contraband and whether it attempted to escape.

The report Wednesday that the Columbian was being shelled by a submarine led officials to believe it probably was running away, thereby sacrificing immunity from attack.

If the ship carried contraband and was properly warned, the case may resolve itself into a question of indemnity.

Information in the Marina, Arabia, and Lanao cases also is incomplete, but every report regarding these vessels will be placed before the President as soon as he returns to the White House.

Chihuahua City Not in Danger.

Mexico City, Mexico, Nov. 12. — It is reported here that the foreign office has replied to a recent note from the state department at Washington, in which inquiry was made concerning protection for foreigners if it were deemed advisable to evacuate Chihuahua. The reply is reported to have said that strong reinforcements had been sent to the north and that the situation at Chihuahua was such that there was no possibility of there being an evacuation.

Lost in Adirondack Woods.

Gloversville, Nov. 12. — Carlton Banker of this city, superintendent of the electric division of the Fonda, Johnstown and Gloversville railroad, has been lost in the Adirondacks since Friday noon, when he left the camp where he was staying near "T" lake, Hamilton county, to go out on a runway after deer. Late today it was reported that a searching party had found what they thought was his trail. Mr. Banker is an experienced woodsman.

Inez Milholland Better.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 12. — Mrs. Inez Milholland Boissevain of New York, who is critically ill at a hospital here, was somewhat improved today, according to her physicians. Her chances for recovery were favorable, they said. Three blood transfusions have been made.

SATURDAY'S FOOTBALL RESULTS.

Harvard, 3; Princeton, 0.
Brown, 21; Yale, 6.
Pennsylvania, 7; Dartmouth, 7.
Cornell, 23; Michigan, 20.
Syracuse, 42; Susquehanna, 0.
Pittsburg, 37; Washington and Jefferson, 0.
Rensselaer, 7; Worcester Technical, 6.
Swarthmore, 15; Columbia, 0.
Colby, 3; New York, 0.
Union, 23; Amherst, 6.
Lafayette, 32; Albright, 0.
Holy Cross, 19; Bowdoin, 10.
Williams, 0; Massachusetts Aggies, 0.
Gettysburg, 27; Villa Nova, 3.
Notre Dame, 21; South Dakota, 0.
Colgate, 35; Rochester, 6.
Stevens, 19; Connecticut Aggies, 3.
West Point, 17; Maine, 3.
Georgetown, 47; West Virginia Wesleyan, 0.
Lebanon Valley, 6; Muhlenberg, 0.
Penn State, 10; Lehigh, 7.
Navy, 56; North Carolina Aggies, 0.
Rutgers, 0; West Virginia, 0.
Springfield Y. M. C. A. College, 13; Tufts, 0.
Hamilton, 19; Buffalo, 0.
Haverford, 13; Dickinson, 7.
John Hopkins, 21; Western Maryland, 0.
Northwestern, 20; Iowa, 13.
New Hampshire, 0; Middlebury, 0.
Norwich, 7; University of Vermont, 6.

BANDITS KILL HUNDRED IN RUTHLESS MASSACRE

WOMEN AND BABES VICTIMS OF ZAPATA FOLLOWERS

Laredo, Texas, Nov. 12.—An indiscriminate massacre of nearly 100 women, children and Carranza soldiers who were traveling on a train near Contraras, state of Morales, which was attacked by Zapata followers, is reported in Mexico City newspapers received here today. After the attack on the train, the dead lay in piles beside the cars, the paper states.

Only one person so far as known, escaped death at the hands of the bandits. He was Captain Antonio Priegos. The attack occurred November 7. The passenger train, convoyed by a military train eight kilometers in advance, was halted in a mountain wilderness after the military train had been allowed to pass unmolested. For 15 minutes the Zapatists kept up the slaughter, slaying men and women who prayed for mercy and killing the babies who accompanied their mothers, the papers declare. Soldiers aboard the passenger train were without their accoutrements and unable to offer any resistance. Among the list of dead given in the Mexico City papers is the name of Colonel Garido Alfaro, two majors and three captains. The bandits looted the express car of its valuables.

Chihuahua City, Mexico, Nov. 12.—Villa bandits who looted the Mexican Central train and executed 29 Carranza guards October 3, are now marching toward Can Buena Ventura (El Valle) near the American expeditionary forces outposts, it was announced at military headquarters today.

General Trevino formally denied today the report that he had intended to evacuate the state capital. He said that he would remain and defend it to the last.

PERJURY IS CHARGED AGAINST ERWIN KING

LEADING FIGURE IN STIELOW CASE IS NOW UNDER ARREST

Buffalo, Nov. 12.—Erwin King, central figure in the legal battle recently fought in a vain effort to save Charles F. Stielow from the electric chair, was arrested at Lyndenville, Orleans county, this morning by Cattaraugus county officials and New York and Buffalo private detectives, who have assisted in the fight in behalf of Stielow. King was arrested on a warrant charging perjury in connection with the assault trial of Clarence O'Connell, another figure in the Stielow case. The warrant was issued by a Cattaraugus county justice of the peace on information sworn to by a Salamanca lawyer.

King's arrest is said to be preliminary to a new effort to save the life of Stielow, but the men responsible for the arrest refuse to discuss this feature of the case.

King created a sensation during the fight for a new trial for Stielow by making a confession in which he declared that he and Clarence O'Connell had killed Charles B. Phelps and Margaret Wolcott at West Shelby, and that Stielow, condemned to die for the murder of Phelps, had nothing to do with the killing. Later he recanted this confession and was released. King was taken to the Cattaraugus jail tonight. Although the arrest was made in Orleans county, the officials of that county were not consulted in the case.

Governor Whitman has set November 28 for a public hearing of the Stielow defenders, who will make final appeal for executive clemency.

FACE REAL ISSUE IN HOUSE MAKEUP

Close Political Division Makes Control Uncertain

GIVE FAIRCHILD PLACE

Oneontan Will Continue on Ways and Means Committee It Is Now Intimated

Washington, D. C., Nov. 12.—Members of the house of representatives in the newly elected sixty-fifth congress face one of the most uncertain organization situations in the history of the government.

With but a few districts still in doubt, the Republicans appear to have a plurality of four or five members and a possible majority of two or three when it is figured that an independent elected in Massachusetts and a Progressive elected in Minnesota probably will vote with them. Independent action has characterized a number of the re-elected members on the Republican side, however, and their attitude toward Democratic legislation in the last few years has given Democratic leaders hope.

Working Majorities Impossible.

On the face of the unofficial returns, the political division of the house is so close that an effective and certain working majority does not exist. In view of the situation it is regarded by Democratic leaders as improbable that President Wilson will call an extra session of the new congress next spring, in that case the organization fight will not come until the regular session in December, 1917, which will mean maneuvering for more than a year in the contests for speakership of the house and the organization of important committees.

As matters stand today, the candidate of the Republicans for speaker will be James R. Mann, the present minority leader, and Speaker Clark, generally is regarded as the Democratic choice to succeed himself. Already, however, there are rumblings of uncertainties because of close political division. On the Republican side there are reports of disaffection against the minority leader as a candidate for speaker on the part of several members who, it is suggested, might vote for Clark instead. Consequently there is gossip among some Republicans regarding the advisability of naming another man as candidate for speaker.

Fairchild for Tariff Revision.

In the event of Republican organization of the house, the majority leadership under seniority rule would go to Joseph W. Fordney of Michigan, who automatically would become chairman of the ways and means committee. Among the majority members of that important committee which would have charge of tariff revision would be Representative Ebenezer Hill of Connecticut, Longworth of Ohio, Gardner of Massachusetts, Moore of Pennsylvania, Green of Iowa, and Fairchild of New York. Representative Gillett of Massachusetts probably would succeed Fitzgerald of New York as chairman of the appropriation committee and with him in control of this committee would be former Speaker Cannon and Representatives Slemp of Virginia, Good of Iowa, Mondell of Wyoming, Vare of Pennsylvania and Davis of Minnesota. Among other important probable changes would be Hayes of California to succeed Glass of Virginia as chairman of banking and currency; Cooper of Wisconsin, on foreign affairs; Esch of Wisconsin for Adamson, Georgia, on interstate and foreign commerce; Volstead of Minnesota for Webb, North Carolina, on judiciary; Albert Johnson of Washington, for Burnett, Alabama, on immigration; Kahn of California for Dent, Alabama, on military affairs; Butler of Pennsylvania, for Padgett, Tennessee, on naval affairs; Greene, of Massachusetts for Alexander, Missouri, on merchant marine; Steenerson, Minnesota, for Moon, Tennessee, on post office; Lenroot, Wisconsin, for Ferris, Oklahoma, on public lands; and Campbell, of Kansas, for Henry, Texas, on rules.

Senate Has Democratic Majority.

Whatever happens Republicans cannot control legislation in the next congress because the new senate will be Democratic by a safe working majority of 12. In this situation little partisan legislation can be looked for during the first part of the new Wilson administration. Because of this, administration leaders will exert every possible effort to complete a Democratic legislative program before March 4, next, when the Sixty-fourth congress will end.

Republicans Claim 217 Votes.

New York, Nov. 12.—The Republicans will have 217 votes in the next congress, according to the latest returns available tonight. This is an increase of one in the total Republican membership previously reported. The change is based on reports from the sixth New Jersey district showing the election of John H. Ramsey, Republican, by a plurality of about 1,500 over Robert Heath, Democrat. It does not take into account a probable contest in the Tenth North Carolina district, the Third New Jersey district, where Thomas J. Scully, Democrat, claims to have been elected by a plurality of 14 votes, or the Eleventh Iowa or Third Louisiana districts, where the pluralities are so small that recounts are considered possible.

SAY AMERICAN FLAG IS USED

Indignation in Germany Over British Treachery Is Reported Rife.

Berlin, Germany, Nov. 12.—(Wireless to Sayville).—A deep impression has been made on the German public by a recent report from the admiralty that a British patrol ship, flying the American flag, after destroying the German submarine U-41, deliberately ran down a rowboat containing the two survivors of the submarine's crew in an endeavor to remove the only witnesses.

"Indignation is growing in Germany," says the Overseas News agency, "and the excitement is stimulated by the fact that German submarines returning from trips report again and again that they have been attacked treacherously by hostile merchantmen. These cases furnish proof that the instructions given by the British admiralty in May of last year, a copy of which was found on the steamship Woodfield, are still in full force. According to these instructions, armed trading ships are to attack submarines on sight."

ROFRANO IS ACQUITTED IN MURDER PLOT CASE

TRIAL COSTING $100,000 CLOSELY PARALLELS BECKER'S

New York, Nov. 12. — Michael A. Rofrano, an attorney and former deputy street cleaning commissioner of this city, was acquitted of the charge of complicity in the murder of Michael Gaimari, a political rival, by a jury here late today, after it had deliberated 22 hours. Rofrano was accused of having ordered Gaimari's death as the result of a political feud.

Estimated to have cost Rofrano and the state about $100,000, the trial was locally one of the most sensational held here since the Becker case, involving as it did political leaders, city officials and denizens of the underworld. Although every effort was made to expedite the trial it consumed nearly five weeks.

Mayor Mitchel, who had appointed Rofrano deputy street cleaning commissioner, was one of several prominent men to testify in his behalf. He supported the contention of the defense that Rofrano was the victim of a "frameup."

The defense claimed that Gaimari was killed in a gamblers' quarrel. Rofrano took the witness stand and categorically denied all the allegations against him and charged Tom Foley, a leader of Tammany hall, with being the instigation of the alleged "frameup." He said that Foley had feared his growing control of the Democratic organization in the second assembly district.

Gaimari was shot March 8, 1915. On evidence furnished the district attorney and the grand jury by Gaetano Montimagno, who was convicted of the crime, an indictment formally was returned against Rofrano. The day before the indictment was made public Rofrano disappeared. After eluding the police of the country eight months, Rofrano returned as mysteriously as he had gone and surrendered himself to the district attorney.

Rofrano's attorney held that the state's case crumbled when its witnesses failed to support Montimagno's accusations. Most of them recanted previous testimony and testified that the plot to implicate the one time city official had been hatched in prison in order to obtain clemency.

THREE TAKE TINY CRAFT OVER ATLANTIC IN GALE

MEN STICK AT POSTS 50 HOURS WITHOUT FOOD OR REST

London, England, Nov. 2. — (Correspondence of The Associated Press). — The Berchaven correspondent of the Central News telegraphed the following remarkable story of the sea:

One of the most extraordinary voyages ever made across the Atlantic has just been completed by the Vigilant, a little American tug belonging to New York and bound from St. John's, Newfoundland, for Cardiff. Two days out from St. John's, which she left a week ago last Sunday, the Vigilant experienced terrible weather and on the fifth day she sent out S. O. S. calls, the captain fearing she would founder. The Holland - American liner Ryndam picked up the signals and proceeded to her assistance. The captain and 12 of the crew were taken off by the Ryndam, which was bound for Rotterdam, but three men refused to leave. They were the second mate, Robert Ferguson, a Scot; the third engineer, Thomas Walsh, an Irishman, and an American fireman named John Smith.

Taking control of the ship these three men overcame tremendous difficulties and actually succeeded in bringing her within sight of the Irish coast, where she was picked up by a British patrol vessel.

Ferguson was locked in the wheel house and the other two in the engine room. The terrible weather prevented them moving and they remained at their posts for 50 hours without food, water or sleep. Several parts of the ship were smashed in the gale, including the shaft of the dynamo in the engine room. This caused the tug to be in total darkness by night and added to the horrors of the situation.

SHOW GOOD FORM IN PIGSKIN FRAY

Saturday's Play Indicates Tightening Up for Finals

HARVARD GAME BEST

Yale Does Not Appear to Equal Harvard or Princeton in Gridiron Tactics

New York, Nov. 12. — Showing the results of weeks of coaching, eastern football teams, with one or two exceptions, played strictly to form in the contests of Saturday. The degree of improvement was more marked in the case of some elevens than in others. Harvard, Princeton, Cornell, Pennsylvania, Pittsburg, Brown and the Navy demonstrated that they are rapidly approaching the apex of the season's campaign. Dartmouth and the Army appear to have suffered a slump, while Yale is yet to strike its stride. Probably the best exhibition Saturday was given by Harvard and Princeton in their battle at Cambridge. The victory of the Crimson by the margin of a single field goal was an accurate indication of the respective powers of the two teams, although allowance must be made for the fact that neither was able to show its entire offensive with the Yale battles one and two weeks away.

Blue Disappoints Its Adherents.

Both teams played hard, fast football, tackling cleanly and giving the runner excellent interference. The punting was high and far and the ends got down the field under kicks in rapid fire fashion. The tricky wind inside the stadium made the catching of punts a difficult feat and fumbles were excusable. Harvard's defensive and shifting attacks proved more effective than the more spectacular offense of the Tigers, since it was harder to follow the ball under the Crimson system of play. Viewed in the light of Saturday's contests, both Harvard and Princeton appeared to have reached a more advanced stage of football performance than Yale.

The Blue was a keen disappointment to its adherents in the game against Brown. The Elis failed to improve over the earlier contests of the fall. A weak and inconsistent attack, coupled with a mediocre defense, was the undoing of Yale, notwithstanding the fact that the material for a strong eleven appeared available.

Quakers Tie Dartmouth.

Pennsylvania again demonstrated that its instruction, coupled with the fighting quality of the Quakers, is bearing fruit. Although held to a tie game by Dartmouth, the honors of the conflict belong to the Red and Blue. Pennsylvania showed a sustained and powerful attack which scored once and threatened at other times, while the Hanover eleven was unable to advance the ball with steadiness.

Cornell and Michigan had a thrilling battle at Ithaca and again the east triumphed over the west, although the margin of victory was the narrow one of a field goal. The scoring was confined almost to aerial plays or overhead plays that made a touchdown easy of accomplishment. Shizerick kicked three field goals and a forward pass was responsible for one of the two touchdowns scored by Cornell. Michigan also was more proficient in hurling than running with the ball and all three of the Wolverines' touchdowns came as the result of long passes which placed the spheroid within easy rushing distance of the goal line. In this department of the game Coach Yost's pupils were superior to the Ithaca team and it was a severe disappointment to Cornell supporters that the home eleven was not able to offer a satisfactory defense to his spectacular method of advancing the ball.

Middies Play Wins Praise.

Both the Army and Navy teams won their games but the Middies' victory over the North Carolina Aggies was more impressive than the soldiers' defeat of Maine. The cadets appeared to have an off day and played a careless and listless game against the New England collegians. Maine did not have the power to cope with the army but wretched handling of the ball and loss of ground as the result of penalties, kept the cadets' score down. The Navy, on the other hand, while not faced by a particularly strong opponent, played with a vim and dash which has been lacking in recent games. In the other more important games of Saturday, Wasnington and Jefferson was unable to make any impression on the remarkable football machine that represents the University of Pittsburgh, while Colgate and Penn State won decisively from Rochester and Lehigh, respectively.

HUGHES HOLDS MINNESOTA

Latest Figures Give Republican Nominee a Plurality of 260.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 12.—Today's correction additions and subtractions left the Hughes' plurality in Minnesota at 260. The total vote to date was Wilson, 178,548; Hughes, 178,808.

Tabulation of reports from the county auditors at the capital is to begin this week and first sheets are expected tomorrow. There are a few precincts to hear from and practically all of the second and third regiments.

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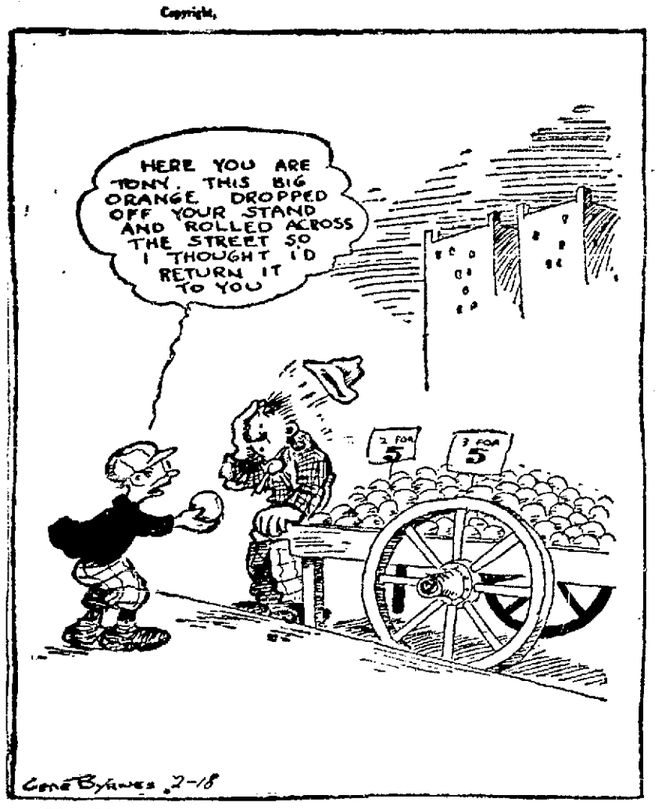

AN AGED WOMAN

Tells How Vinol Made Her Strong.

In her eighty-second year Mrs. John Wickersham, of Russellville, Pa., says: "I was in a run-down, feeble condition and had lost flesh. A neighbor asked me to try Vinol, and after taking two bottles my strength returned; I am gaining in flesh, it has built up my health and I am feeling fine for a woman of my age, so I get around and do my housework."

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TO PROBE LIVING COST.

Those Guilty of Unjust Price Boosting Will Be Punished.

The rising cost of living is being investigated by the government to ascertain whether the increasing prices are being pushed upward unlawfully. Wherever that is found to be the case persons responsible will be punished to the full extent of the law, according to Attorney General Gregory. Agents of the department of justice at Washington particularly are seeking evidence of unlawful price increases through conspiracies or other means.

The attorney general has authorized the following statement of his department's activities in that connection:

"The department of justice is investigating the recent abnormal and suspicious increases in the prices of various necessaries of life, especially coal. Wherever any such increase is found to have been due to conspiracy or other unlawful action the department will invoke against the offenders the severest penalties which the law prescribes."

Silence and Speech.

The chief office of silence is to bury all that is evil, and the chief office of speech is to disclose and disseminate all that is good. Let this be done with sincerity and earnestness, for its ultimate benefit to character and to conduct is established beyond a doubt.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

New York Produce Market.

Butter — Steady; receipts, 4,835. Creamery higher than extras, 38 to 38½; extras 92 score, 37½; firsts, 36 to37; seconds, 34½to35½.

Eggs—Firm; receipts, 6,510. Fresh gathered extra fine, 42 to 44; extra firsts, 40to41; firsts, 37to39; seconds, 35to37; nearby hennery whites fine to fancy, 62to68; browns, 45to52.

Cheese — Strong; receipts, 1,612. State fresh specials, 23 to 23¼; do average fancy, 22½to22¾.

Live Poultry—Firm; chickens, 18½ to19; fowls, 13½to16½; turkeys, 26to 22. Dressed dull and weak; chickens, 19 to 31; fowls, 14½ to 22½; turkeys, 19to30.

New York Meats.

Beeves—Receipts, 278; no trading.

Calves—Receipts, 190; no trading.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2,010; firm. Good to prime sheep, ewes, $7to 7.50; culls, $3to3.50; fair to prime lambs, $10.60to11.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 1,336; no trading.

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Dressed hogs	13
Dressed beef	19
Veal dressed, choice	12to14

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Corn meal, cwt.	$2.28
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Cow hides	19
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It takes three days to reach Zlatoust, in the Ural mountains. There is to be seen the famous "stone of parting." Could it speak, what a number of heartrending tales it could tell. When criminals and political prisoners were sent to Siberia that "great lone land" of the east, their friends usually bade them goodby in the presence of the cold stone.

From Zlatoust the main line proceeds to Omsk, whence it reaches the shores of Lake Baikal, one of the largest fresh water lakes in the world. Sometimes the Russians term it "the holy sea," because an island in the lake was believed to be the abode of an evil spirit, who continually had to be appeased with sacrifices. Seals and beautiful sponges abound in the lake.

Previous to 1905 the whole train was transferred by means of a wonderful movable platform, where it rested on rails, on to the steamer on Lake Baikal. This steamer was built at Newcastle, and was fitted with powerful screws, which could be driven through ice four feet thick. Now the railway is continued round the south of Lake Baikal.—Pearson's Weekly.

ALL COMFORTS OF HOME IN A GERMAN TUNNEL

An amazing story of German ingenuity in tunnel building is told by the French troops who took Chilly, one of the most important points on the allied line.

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The German commander's room had painted walls, solid doors, chairs, tables, beds and telephone system. At a depth of forty feet was an excavation sufficiently large to hold a whole company of soldiers, with hoists for machines.

Striking First

By ELINOR MARSH

Tom Barnes received a note from his fiancee, Lucy Edmonds, asking him to call upon her. There was nothing in the note except the bare request, and instead of being signed "your loving Lucy" it was simply "Lucy." Tom had noticed a coolness of late on the part of his fiancee's parents and had a foreboding that he was summoned to receive a dismissal. He took time enough before answering the summons to prepare himself for the ordeal. After much thought he resolved that if he must be stabbed he would stab first. The principle of the superiority of an initial force is as true in the game of love as in war. So on meeting Lucy, without giving her time to say a word he spoke himself:

"Well, who is the party who is to take my place?"

"That's very unkind."

"What's unkind, throwing me over? Would you have written me that cold blooded note for any other purpose?"

"Worse and worse. Cold blooded note! What was there cold blooded about it?"

"Let us not waste words. Since I know why you have sent for me, you need not explain. I come, firstly, in obedience to your summons; secondly, for a purpose of my own."

Tom's assuming the upper hand in the matter had its effect on Lucy. What she had to say to him was really from her mother, not from herself.

"What is it?" she asked in a low voice, in which there was a suspicion of tremolo.

"To ask the question I propounded when I entered. Who is the party that is to take my place?"

Lucy made no reply for awhile. She sat with her eyes cast down to the betrothal ring which Tom had given her. It was on the third finger of her left hand, and she was turning it as though it troubled her. Thoughts, regrets, duty, indecision were coursing through her brain like water through a flume.

"I've asked you a simple question," Tom added. "It calls only for a simple answer."

Mrs. Edmonds, who had worked her daughter up to do her bidding, had foreseen that if Lucy gave the name of the new suitor Tom would probably riddle him and thus undo all that had been done, so she had enjoined upon her child that if Tom suspected he was thrown over for another he was not to be told who that other was.

"Mother has very justly said that you would naturally be prejudiced"—

"I did not ask what mother says. I asked you for the name of the man who is to take my place."

Whether it was through obedience or that Lucy shrank from an admission that he had been supplanted, she could not bring herself to make it. After trying various methods to get it out of her Tom wrote a dozen names on a slip of paper, showed them to her and asked her if the name of the other man was among them. Lucy ran down the list till she came to Legrand Atwood, when the expression changed. Tom's eyes were fixed upon her, and he saw that he had got the secret.

"That'll do," he said, tearing up the paper. "This name has been concealed from me by your mother's orders because she does not consider me a proper person to criticise the man she approves instead of me. I will not honor the party by considering him a rival for your love. But your mother is right in assuming that from my past position toward you I am not a competent witness against a man who has downed me. I have but one request to make of you."

"What is it?" said Lucy in an almost inaudible voice.

"That you take no definite action with regard to Mr. Atwood for one month from today."

Lucy made the desired promise, and Tom's manner changed toward her at once. When he left her he assumed none of a lover's privileges, simply pressing her hand. Lucy begged him to tell her how he had hit on Mr. Atwood. She had met him during a visit to another city and was not aware that Tom had ever heard of him. Tom declined for the present to gratify her curiosity.

Lucy pined for Tom for two weeks, when the status was suddenly changed. Mr. Atwood was arrested for misuse of the mails, the charge being that he had sent circulars and received moneys for investments in a fictitious company.

Lucy at once sent for Tom. This time her note began, "Dearest Tom," and ended, "Your loving Lucy." Tom answered the summons at once.

"Did you know anything about this"—She hesitated.

"Rascal!" supplied Tom. "I did. I heard through a chum of mine that during your visit to A. he was endeavoring to be attentive to you; that he was lavish in his expenditures and was under suspicion. When I parted from you recently I made inquiries and found that several persons whom he had swindled were getting after him. I then simply waited for what has occurred."

"It was very unkind of you not to tell me of your suspicions," said Lucy, pouting.

"You mean that it was unkind of me not to tell your mother of them through you," was the smiling reply.

That was the end of the opposition to Tom as a husband for Lucy, and they were married.

Eyes Out.

Two ladies were hurrying down the street in the rain, carrying their umbrellas low for protection. In turning a corner sharply the point of one umbrella struck a passerby in the forehead.

"Goodness!" gasped the woman. "I'll keep an eye out in the future."

"Begorra!" exclaimed the man. "Ye nearly had one out in the prisint!"—London Answers

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OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

PLANNING JOLLIFICATION.

Schenevus Democrats to Celebrate President Wilson's Re-election.

Schenevus, Nov. 12. — The local Democrats and Wilson supporters are planning a big jollification to take place some night the early part of this week. The services of a band will be secured and there will be a big torch light parade. Invitations have been sent out to the members of the winning party residing in nearby towns to join in the merry making and large delegations are expected to respond. Everybody come out and enjoy the fun. A large delegation went from here to take part in the celebration held in Oneonta Saturday evening.

Successful Horse Convention.

A horse convention was held at the Graney sale and exchange stables Saturday afternoon, commencing at 1 o'clock. Early in the day horsemen began to arrive with teams and single horses of various description, which were offered for sale or exchange. At the auction block wagons, harness, farm implements and in fact anything salable was offered for sale, the charge being five per cent of the selling price. The venture was considered successful and similar evenes will be held from time to time.

Rehearsing High School Play.

Rehearsals for the High school play, "Cranberry Corners," a four act comedy drama, which will be produced on Friday and Saturday nights of this week, November 17 and 18, are being held under the direction of Mrs. Louise Hanlon Clarke of Cooperstown, and the work is progressing nicely. Following is the cast of characters: Tom Dexter, Ralph Bennett; Sidney Everett, Roger Graney; Ben Latham, Claude VanWie; Andrew Dexter, Evans Merchant; Hezekiah Hopkins, Fred Colegrove; Nathan Speck, Ernest Gage; Carlotta Bannister, Marjorie Chase; Anastasia Bannister, Luella Halstead; Amelia Dexter, Pearl Miller; Mrs. Muslin, Marion Boardman; Delia Ann, Hazel Hayner; Florine, Jessie Stickles.

Brief Newslets.

The town board of the town of Maryland held their annual meeting for the purpose of auditing the town accounts at the office of Town Clerk E. F. Theyson on Thursday and Friday of last week. — The annual supper and donation of the Methodist church will be held in the Chase & Bennett hall, on Wednesday evening, Nov. 22.

NEWS AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

Otsego County Sunday School Convention Will be Held November 14-15.

Cooperstown, Nov. 12.—The Otsego County Sunday School convention, which was to have been held in the Baptist church at Cooperstown, October 10 and 11, and which was postponed on account of infantile paralysis in the county, will be held November 14 and 15 in the Baptist church at Cooperstown, carrying out the same program as printed and sent out to the various schools for the previous dates.

Enjoyable Motor Trip.

Dr. L. S. Matthews and wife, Mrs. Adelia Bundy and Miss Helen A. Bundy, comprised a motor party to Auburn and Seneca Falls on Thursday, returning to Cooperstown Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Bundy and daughter visited Mrs. L. Laird of Auburn and Dr. Matthews' parents at Seneca Falls. Margaret Matthews, a daughter of Dr. Matthews, returned with the party, after spending some weeks at her grandparents.

Entertain High School Faculty.

Mrs. William L. McEwan, Mrs. Frank B. Shipman and Mrs. Nathaniel P. Willis entertained the members of the faculty of the High school at dinner on Saturday evening at the home of Judge and Mrs. Willis.

Will Reside in Albany Hereafter.

Professor and Mrs. W. D. Johnson and family left Cooperstown last week for their new home in Albany. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson have been residents of Cooperstown for the past 22 years and have occupied a leading place in its social and civil affairs. Mr. Johnson was the principal of the High school for a number of years and was appointed to the position of inspector with the state department of education in 1904 and it is at the order of the department that his removal to Albany is brought about.

Howard A. Potts Promoted.

News has reached Cooperstown that Howard A. Potts, formerly of this place, who is connected with the Royal Typewriter company of Washington, D. C., has been promoted to the sales department, handling all the business with the government departments and at a fine advance in salary. A number of his Cooperstown friends will be pleased to hear of Mr. Potts' success.

SIFTINGS FROM SCHUYLER LAKE.

Reception for Rev. Arthur Landmesser Largely Attended.

Schuyler Lake, Nov. 12.—The reception given for Rev. Arthur Landmesser at the Methodist church Wednesday evening was largely attended, there being 75 present. The church was trimmed very prettily, the altar being banked with potted plants. Mrs. R. L. Holdbrook, Mrs. Edward Baker, Mrs. M. J. Clark and Mrs. F. C. Pickens were on the reception committee. A very fine musical program was given as follows: Mrs. Myron Wakerley and Mrs. Harry Pitcher sang vocal solos, Miss Cecil Darby rendered an instrumental solo, Mrs. Kieth Cushman and Cecil Darby, a vocal duet, and the little Misses Frances Washburn, Genevieve Bliss and Helen Stephenson sang a pretty little song. Very fine orchestra music was furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Kieth Cushman, E. F. Washburn and Jessie Ellsworth. Kieth Cushman played several cornet solos, accompanied by his wife on the piano. Rev. Landmesser was called upon and responded in a pleasing manner. Delicious ice cream and cake were served and a pleasant evening was enjoyed by all present. The guests on departing bid Rev. Landmesser a hearty welcome and their best wishes for a very enjoyable year among us.

Birth.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Richley of Estella, Pa., (nee Ethel Brenchley of this place) are rejoicing over the arrival of a 9½ pound girl, November fourth. Congratulations from her many friends here.

Funeral of Chauncey Simms.

The funeral of Chauncey N. Simms, whose sudden death was given in Wednesday's Star, was held from the home of his niece, Mrs. Flora Sutherland, Thursday at 2 p. m. Rev. Arthur Landmesser officiated. Burial was made in the Schuyler Lake cemetery. He leaves besides the brother and niece mentioned before, three grand nieces: Miss Gertrude Sutherland of Cooperstown, Mrs. Charles Milbert of Burlington Flats, and Miss Claudine Sutherland of this place; one grand nephew, Clifford Sutherland of this place; and a brother-in-law, W. A. Johnson of Schuyler Lake. Uncle Chauncey will be greatly missed about the village for he always had a pleasant word for every one and will be especially missed by his neighbors for the many errands he did for them. It was only a week ago Saturday that he spent the day fishing on the lake as it wa sthere that he took his most comfort.

DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

THE NEWS IN HOBART.

Funeral of William J. Manchester—Personal and News Notes.

Hobart, Nov. 12.—The funeral services for William J., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Manchester, who died at the home of his parents, Friday afternoon, will be held tomorrow at 1 o'clock at the house, and 1:30 at the Methodist church, Rev. P. St. John Colman officiating. The deceased was born in Kortright 21 years ago. He had recently been employed in Westfield, Mass., where he was taken ill with pneumonia about two months ago.

Mrs. D. T. Lyon Entertains at Luncheon

Mrs. D. T. Lyon entertained about 25 ladies at luncheon at her home on Pearl street Friday afternoon. The rooms and tables were prettily decorated with vines, bitter sweet berries and pansies. After the seven course luncheon the remainder of the afternoon was spent in fancy work and a social time.

Civic Club Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Civic club will be held at the club rooms, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Personals.

The receipts from the pie and cake auction held in Sherman's store, Friday night, were $18.75. — Mrs. Levi Lyon left yesterday morning to visit her sister, Mrs. Peter Chapman, in New York. Mrs. Chapman was injured in an automobile accident last Tuesday.—Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Dales went to Washingtonville yesterday for a visit with Mrs. Dale's parents. — Principal G. E. Patrie and Miss Florence E. Sutton attended a teacher's conference in Margaretville yesterday. — W. C. Taylor went to Oneonta yesterday. Miss Ruanna Taylor, who has been ill in the Fox Memorial hospital, returned home with him.—Charles More is visiting his father in Cooperstown for a few days.—There will be a dance in Grant's hall Friday night, November 17.

DELHI DAY BY DAY.

Robert Scott, Teamster on Andes State Road Dies Suddenly of Apoplexy.

Delhi, Nov. 12.— Robert Scott of Delhi, who lives on Upper Main street and works at the Hook on the Andes state road, while caring for his horses about 7:30 a. m. Friday, suddenly dropped dead. Coroner C. R. Woods was sent for, and after examining and viewing the body, found that death was due to apoplexy. He was about 60 years of age and leaves a wife.

Home and School Committee Meet.

The Home and School committee of the Village Improvement society met at the new school building Friday morning. The Village Improvement society will hold a business meeting and tea at the residence of Mrs. F. A. Robinson, Nov. 14, at 3 p. m.

Local Brevities.

Peter Fraser has returned from a several days' visit to New York city.—Mrs. J. B. Murray returned last evening from New York, where she has been the past week. — Mrs. Arnold Ladd of McLean, Tompkins county, is visiting her son here, Dr. C. E. Ladd. —Mr. and Mrs. John K. Forman and Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Arbuckle motored to Oneonta Friday. — The Delhi Tourist club held its monthly meeting Saturday at the residence of W. H. Millard.—J. M. Preston was at Hancock on business Friday. — Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Gerowe have moved to Elmira where he has employment. — Miss Myrtle Collins was operated on Thursday morning by Dr. Latcher of Oneonta, assisted by Doctors Goodrich and Ormiston of this village. Mrs. Margaret Hymers is the nurse. — Miss Bessie Kinch of Bovina has been operated on for appendicitis and is at the Neal hospital. Miss Helen Page is there for treatment. — The Delhi-Andes state road is being resurfaced. A machine for that purpose passed through Main street Saturday. — Robert Wilson will commence building a new bungalow on Court street this week.

DAVENPORT CENTER.

Davenport Center, Nov. 12.—Mrs. M. Germond of Oneonta is caring for Mary VanDyke.—Mrs. Caroline Greene of Oneonta is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Barner.—Miss Jennie Dayton returned Sunday from visiting friends at Prattsville and Stamford. — Dr. and Mrs. T. L. Craig of Davenport were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Roberts.—Mr. and Mrs. Annine Smith of North Franklin visited Mrs. H. S. Olmstead Sunday. — Frank Champlin, who has been touring the middle west, has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Nancy Champlin. — Mr. and Mrs. Orson Loucks attended the funeral of a relative at Schenevus Wednesday. — Mrs. E. B. Sewell was a guest of Mr and Mrs. P. H. Breese in Oneonta Wednesday. — Mrs. P. B. Reynolds, who has been visiting her daughter at Garrattsville, has returned home.—Rev. and Mrs. Newell entertained a few friends at 6 o'clock dinner Tuesday. — Mrs. E. L. Briggs has been assisting in the Boston store, Oneonta, the past few days. — Mrs. Scott Lake and son, Jack, of Oneonta, were recent guests of Mrs. A. H. Haines.—Mrs. A. H. Haines of Kingston, who has been at her summer home here since the illness and death of her aunt, Mrs. Emma Hotaling, returned to her home in Kingston Friday.—Fred Jacobs, who has been detained from work for the past few weeks on account of illness, returned to his duties at Oneonta Sunday.

Lord Palmerston's Dinner.

Lord Palmerston was a remarkable feeder, as is shown by this account of his table work when he was eighty years of age.

"He ate for dinner two plates of turtle soup. He was then served very amply to a plate of cod and oyster sauce. He then took a pate, afterward he was helped to two very greasy looking entrees. He then dispatched a plate of roast mutton. There then appeared before him the largest and, to my mind, the hardest slice of ham that ever figured on the table of a nobleman, yet it disappeared just in time to answer the inquiry of his butler, 'Snipe, my lord, or pheasant?' He instantly replied, 'Pheasant,' thus completing his ninth dish of meat at that meal."

This was Lord Palmerston, who lived and worked like a horse till he was eighty-one, and would doubtless have poured scorn upon the scientific slops and gruels offered to old men in our day. Palmerston was one that was nourished by his victuals and would fain have meat.—New York Post.

An Essay on Woman.

A woman is sometimes fugitive, irrational, indeterminable, illogical and contradictory. A good deal of forbearance ought to be shown her and a good deal of prudence exercised with regard to her, for she may bring about innumerable evils without knowing it. Capable of all kinds of devotion and of all kinds of treason, "monster incomprehensible," raised to the second power, she is at once the delight and the terror of man.—Amiel.

A New Brim Line.

There is a strong tendency toward the front flare in the new transparent and felt hats. While this brim line is not becoming to many faces it can be so arranged that the flare comes at one side or tip tilted. A bit of soft fringed braid or a twist of silk help also to relieve the severity.

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HEAT IN THE SILO.

Temperature Never High Except on the Surface.

[C. H. Eckles, Missouri station.]

Every one who has used a silo has observed that at times the silage becomes hot. This is generally noticed on the surface during mild weather as when the silage is being fed in rather small quantities. Many have supposed that the entire mass of silage becomes very hot and that a certain amount of heat is necessary to preserve it. Agents of various types of silos have also taken advantage of the lack of general information on this subject to make claims for or against certain types of silo on the ground that the temperature of the silage is influenced by the particular construction.

The Missouri experiment station decided two years ago to get the facts. Electric thermometers were placed in silos to take the temperature. A bulb was placed in the silo during filling at any point where it was desirable to take the temperature. This bulb had wires leading to the outside of the silo so the temperature could be taken with an electrical device at any time. Temperature readings were taken near the center of the silage mass and at the wall at frequent intervals during two seasons in from eight to ten silos, including stave, iron, tile, Gurler and concrete.

It was found that the temperature in the depth of the silage is never high as is so often thought. After filling the temperature rises from 5 to 10 degrees the first few days and then slowly declines during the fall and winter until it reaches the lowest point, about 40 degrees, in March. In good silage the temperature seldom goes more than a few degrees, if any, above 100 F. and may not go above 90. The only high temperatures found are at the surface when the air comes in contact with silage. Furthermore, a temperature much above 100 means loss of silage, as some of the material is being actually burned to make the heat. Mold will raise the temperature some. Corn put in the silo in a mature condition develops more heat than that put in green. No relation was found between the material used in the construction of the silo and the temperature of the silage. Practically no difference in the freezing of the silage on the wall was observed with the different kinds of silos.

For City Planning.

After several years of agitation in behalf of a city planning commission, the Peoria (Ill.) Association of Commerce has achieved a decided forward step. The city planning committee of the association has aroused the interest of the city fathers, and Mayor Woodruff, on behalf of the city council, now invites conferences for the discussion of the commission, the city plan and the preliminary work in the big undertaking.

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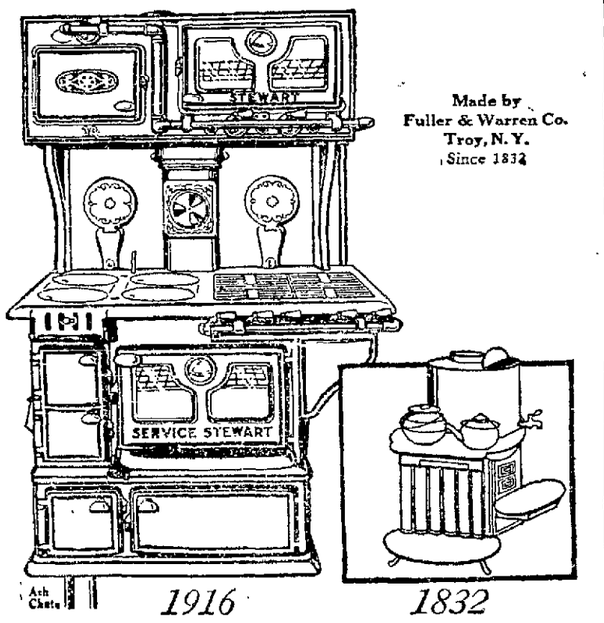

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As is well known there was quite general observance on the ninth of October of Fire Prevention day and even in towns where there was no formal recognition of the event there was at least much said in the press and often in the pulpit relative to the necessity of care and the great danger and loss which by carelessness have been occasioned. That this is commendable there is no doubt, as are all movements looking to the public good but there have been those who, looking to the multiplicity of "days" have asked whether any good really came of it.

The answer to this is to some extent found in a statement sent out last week by the National Board of Fire Underwriters, who undertake to give some facts and figures bearing on the point at issue.

In New York city, says the report there were 1,010 fires less in 1915 than in 1914, with an aggregate decrease in loss of $2,467,793. Its per capital loss was 32 cents less than ever before, and its total loss was $110.58 less per fire than in any previous year and there results are generally attributed to prevention work.

Chicago with a bureau of Fire Prevention and Public Safety had a decrease of 1,2?8 in fires and of $906,605 of loss and Boston for the single month of June in 1915 had but 9?5 alarms, against 1,?37 in 1914, while in 1916 there were only 605 alarms in June, being a decrease of 61 per cent in two years.

Cincinnati in 1914 had 2,1?8 fires and $699,44 in losses. The following year it had 1,7?8 fires and but $?65,570 in losses—twenty per cent less of fires and 50 per cent less losses. In Milwaukee the fires decreased ?9 per cent in a year and the losses 50 per cent in two years.

The above however are a few of the bright spots and represent but the merest beginning. It must never be overlooked that fire prevention is still confronted by an enormous task. Momentary enthusiasm because of reductions effected in a few cities is somewhat dampened by the reflection that 1915 saw the enormous total of $39,591,2?7 in the single item of dwelling house fires in the United States. Of this amount $6,?2 81? or $17 ??? per day, is directly traceable to defective chimneys and flues—a cause which could have been ascertained and corrected.

Fire prevention does prevent but it never will be really successful until the public takes a hand.

COMMENTS OF THE PRESS

Leucomania

Leucomania is epidemic in New York state. Some of the worst cases which we have seen were residents of other states who were here enjoying our hospitality, but so far as we know it is as likely to develop in one locality as another. It became prevalent after the mileage of improved highways reached a respectable figure and unless something is done to check it there is a danger that it will have an injurious effect on the motor industry.

Leucomania according to the definition given by the Hoosier Motorist is a moral astigmatism developed by drivers of automobiles who after paying for their car license and with other things become obsessed with the idea that they are sole and exclusive owners of the road and all the ... immediately surrounding it. It is probably caused by germs found only on automobile licens... receipts ... manifests itself ... might ... undesirable form.

This dread mental disease usually starts with a slight swelling of the chest which becomes more noticeable and gradually extends to the head. As the swelling ... it becomes very painful and irritating—to other people. It has resulted in death in many instances—to other people. In the cases reported where leucomania has caused the death of the afflicted person it has only been where two leucomaniacs have met on the road at night. ... have ... the best way to ... the disease ... to place all ... a ... drive ...

New York ... endeavoring to curb the disease by an anti glare law but the truth is the real leucomaniac knows no law. ... for ... To those who desire the common rather than the ... will ... that a leucomaniac is a ROAD HOG.—[Motordom.

Youth's Companion Calendar for 1917

The publishers of The Youth's Companion are presenting, as always at this season, to every subscriber whose subscription is paid for 1917 a calendar for the new year. It is decidedly unusual, and strikingly artistic. The colors are well chosen and richly blended. It was made primarily, however, for actual use and is well named the Practical Home Calendar.

TO FIGHT ADAMSON LAW

D. & H. COMPANY WILL CONTEST CONSTITUTIONALITY OF ACT.

General Counsel for Railroad Company Will Ask Federal Judge Ray to Restrain Enforcement of Measure — Brotherhood Men Threaten to Strike Where Concessions Are Not Made Jan. 1.

The Delaware and Hudson railroad is planning to follow the lead of other railroads which are contesting the constitutionality of the Adamson railway increase of wages act.

W. ? Noyes of New York, general counsel for the Delaware and Hudson has announced that a bill in equity to restrain the enforcement of the law on the ground that it is unconstitutional is to be filed in the United States district court of northern New York, which is to be presided over by Judge George W. Ray.

The New York Central is also to enter the fight against the law. The railroads will follow the lead of the western roads and contend that the law is unreasonable, is an arbitrary increase in wages without regard to whether existing wages are too low, and is a violation of the fifth amendment to the constitution of the United States.

Light on the heels of this announcement comes one from the head of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen declaring that the men will strike on all roads which fail to put the law into effect on Jan. 1. The following special dispatch was sent out from Cleveland, Ohio under date of Nov. 11.

Whether the supreme court sustains the Adamson law is immaterial to the railroad employes, according to W. G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, who said today that the men would go on strike on Jan. 1 on all roads which ... that time failed to put the eight hour law into effect.

Lee made it plain that whatever action the supreme court might take would have no effect on the eight hour day movement. Four hundred thousand railroad men are ready to walk out Jan. 1 unless the railroads put into effect the eight hour day, law or no law.

Any railroad which attempts to cancel the present schedule of hours and pay or refuses to put the eight hour law into effect will find itself with a strike on its hands, law or no law, he said today.

The power that was given to us last spring when the employes voted to strike unless the railroads granted our demands is just as good now as it was then and will be called into play if necessary. What the supreme court does with the law is no concern of ours. We have demanded fair working hours and we are going to get them.

However we have no fear that the Adamson law will be declared unconstitutional. We were advised in the first place that it would stand the fire of a legal test. We have President Wilson with us and he will see to it that the law is made airtight. If any flaws are found in it they can be remedied."

NEWSPAPER MEN MEET

Committee Appointed to Consider Increase in Subscription Rates.

The Susquehanna Valley Newspaper Men's association held their annual meeting on Saturday last at the Sidney house in Sidney. There were about a dozen members of the association in attendance and matters of interest to the association were discussed. A paper on Country Correspondents was read by Editor Emerson Demeree of the Harpursville Budget and later there was considerable discussion on this important feature of news getting.

There was also discussion of the increased cost of paper, ink, labor and all other equipment and necessities of the printing office, after which a committee was named with Editor Speaker of the Freeman's Journal as chairman to investigate the various features of the matter and to draw a report looking to adequate increase in price by all weekly papers of the counties of Otsego, Delaware, Chenango and Broome comprising the association. This agreement is first to be submitted to the executive committee of the association and afterwards to the members ...

A question box was opened and ... ... Burd of the Sidney Record after which the old officers of the ... were elected as ...

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... ... church ... ... were elected President ... vice president ... and ... secretary ... Helen ... ... committee ... ...

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Revival at North Harpersfield

... ... North Harpersfield Methodist Episcopal church commenced Sunday evening November ... and will continue each evening ... ... welcome.

Red Cross Seal Campaign.

The sale of Red Cross seals, which during the past half dozen years has been so definite a feature of the holidays season will begin on Wednesday of this week and will continue until the holidays themselves put a definite period to their usefulness. Already ?,000,000 of the seals have been printed and by far the larger part of them have been sent out. Buffalo has asked for four and a half millions, Syracuse and Elmira for a million each, Albany for 800,000 and Troy for half a million.

The letter plan which a year ago was so successful will be followed again this year and 240,000 letters will be sent to prospective purchasers outside the metropolitan district of New York.

Sidney Poultry Show.

Arrangements have been completed for the eleventh annual exhibition of the Unadilla Valley Poultry and Pet Stock association to be held in Sidney, December 4-8. Indications are that we will have a banner show and those who have good stock should not fail to exhibit them at this show. The poultry crop is short this year and good birds are in great demand. Advertise your birds by exhibiting them at the Sidney show. The entry fee is 50c per bird. First prize $1.2?, second 75c, third and fourth beautiful silk ribbons besides a long list of special premiums. For other information, premium list and entry blanks write the secretary, Archie D. Vandervoort, Sidney Center N. Y.

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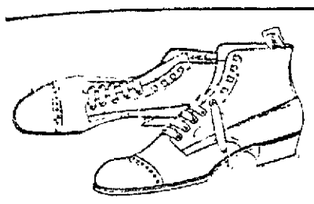

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—Born at the Fox Memorial Hospital on Sunday a daughter, Marion Louise, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Walters of 255 Chestnut street.

—The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church served a New England supper at the church parlors Saturday evening, which was well attended, the receipts being $42.00.

—There was a good attendance Friday evening at the supper given by the "C" and "D" members of the Free Baptist society at the church parlors. A first class supper was served and the total receipts were about $25.

—Members of the Fortnightly club are requested not to forget the first meeting of the season Tuesday evening at the home of Charles H. Baker. Lunch will be served at 6:30 at the Baker residence and all who expect to attend are requested to notify Mr. Baker by phone or otherwise not later than today.

—The supper served by the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church Saturday evening netted the ladies $12 and those who patronized it got a good meal at a cheap price. The young ladies of the Standard Bearers sold all the candy they had, receiving $3.50 for their trouble.

—It is understood that about 100 Democrats from Oneonta will attend the celebration at Cooperstown this evening. Passengers from Oneonta at the reduced rate of 75 cents for the round trip can leave on the 4:15 p. m. car or on either of the two cars leaving at 6:15. Arrangements are made to to return on the same cars this evening.

—The new advertisements in this issue are: Oneonta Department Store, Inc., Happy Hour, Carr & Bull, Theatre Oneonta, Herrieff Clothes Shop, The Strand, Franklin J. Ives, M. Gurney & Sons, Inc., Ronan Bros., M. E. Wilder & Son, O. C. DeLong, C. E. Canfield, Baker Brothers, George Reynolds & Son, Laskaris, Slade's Drug Store.

—Some practical joker played a joke upon Burr R. Chamberlain Saturday evening which he does not appreciate. Taking advantage of his absence in Hobart on a job, some one secured a large lithograph of Charles E. Hughes, whom Mr. Chamberlain supported, and placing it in a conspicuous place in his show window draped it in mourning and then illuminated the place for the Democratic parade Saturday evening.

Meetings Today.

Regular meeting of Canton David Wilber, No. 37, this evening at 7:30. This is the last meeting before inspection and a good attendance is desired.

Regular meeting of K. of C., this evening at 8 o'clock in Maccabee hall.

Regular meeting of Perseverence lodge, No. 96, L. A. to E. of R. T., in K. of P. hall, this evening at 7:30.

Stated convocation Oneonta chapter, No. 277, R. A. M., this evening at 8 o'clock.

Bible study group 1, with Mrs. Westcott, 89 Elm street, this evening at 7:30.

Bible Study class, Group No. 5, will meet with Mrs. Frank Neal, 47 Spruce street, Monday evening at 7:30.

Thirty-seven Carloads of Produce.

Keenan & Parish have in recent weeks purchased and shipped to other points from this station, some 37 carloads of country produce, including a liberal quantity of potatoes, cabbage and turnips. They bought nine carloads of turnips of one grower and paid about $300 a car for them. This is indicative of the fact that if there had been a good cold storage here and a firm dealing in all kinds of produce, that it would be a good center for such a business and would also be beneficial for the farmers in this section.

Woman's Club.

The dramatic evening under the direction of Miss Ruth Thomas, scheduled for Tuesday, November 14, has been postponed until further notice.

Attention.

M. G. Loewenstein, the practical optician and optometrist, is today and will be all this week at 27 Pine street. All adjustments of spectacles and eye glasses are warranted to give perfect satisfaction. advt tf

Better late than never says the August committee of the First Presbyterian church. Look in Benedict's window at 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. They have something for you. Watch for their advertisement in The Star Wednesday morning. advt 1t

Real Estate.

We can sell you a fine residence on Maple, Chestnut, Main, Draper, Gardner, Boylston, Myrtle, East, Gilbert or Fair streets. Chalkins Real Estate, 12 Broad street. advt 1t

Apples.

We will take in cider apples at city switch, Oneonta, and hand picked (Spys, Baldwins and Greenings) at the Pony farm until Thursday. Parish & Keenan. advt 4t

Millinery.

All trimmed hats at reduced prices. Miss A. Caswell, the Broad street milliner. advt 2t

Lost—Saturday afternoon check made out to Herbert church. Finder please return to 12 Maple street. adv 1t

If you are a crank on coffee try Klipnockie and be satisfied. advt tf

Strand theatre open today. advt 1t

DEMOCRATS NOISILY JUBILANT

WILSON ENTHUSIASTS PARADE AMID MUCH RED FIRE AND MANY ROCKETS.

Many Visitors with Bands Join Local Democracy in Celebrating Victory in Nation — Marching Host Make a Great Din — Large Throng View Rejoicing.

Oneonta Democrats, with hundreds from surrounding villages and country joining them, united in celebrating the re-election of President Wilson in this city Saturday evening, the celebration being confined to a monster parade of bands and marching men with a liberal sprinkling of motor cars, the chief feature of which was a big noise, every conceivable noise-making device being pressed into service, from a siren gong on a motor car to the small horn of juveniles. For want of a better implement one fellow had the bottom of a milk can upon which he beat with a skillet, while the number of whistles and horns of all sizes and descriptions was large. Some of the paraders were attired grotesquely, while others contented themselves with an old silk dicer or a red cap. Others carried torches and those not equipped with them were supplied with numberless rockets, while all along the line of march there was red fire in abundance burning. American flags were used, the Hartwick delegation carrying a large one flatwise.

The line formed on Market street with right resting on Broad, and while there was some delay incident to forming, it moved fairly promptly across Market to Main to Fifth, countermarched to Maple, to Walnut, to Church, to Chestnut, to Main, to South Main, to Prospect, to Market, where the line was broken. The line was a long one and enthusiastic was the crowd. Frequently, when the paraders discovered some friend of the opposite faith, they gave a bit of extra din for the cheer of the onlooker. The crowd that lined the business section was the largest of the campaign and withal it was a good natured one, even those of opposite political belief finding amusement in the efforts of the winners to give vent to their rejoicing. Numerous business places and private residences along the line of march were decorated for the event and the pictures of the President were displayed liberally. The best of good feeling seemed to prevail and even after the line broke clusters of enthusiasts marched back and forth about the business section, giving cheers and saluting some of their less fortunate fellows. The City band halted near the club rooms of the Wilson and Marshall club and gave a concert, which was enjoyed by a large throng.

Conspicuous in the line of march were the banners carried by members of the marching host and no little originality was displayed in them. Among those that attracted most attention were the following: "He Who Laughs Last Laughs Best," "Don't Swap Horses When Crossing a Stream," "Four More Years of a Full Dinner Pail," "The Other Fellows Celebrated Tuesday Night," "The Women of the Golden West Helped Elect Wilson," "Wilson's for Votes for Women, So Are We," "Has Anybody Seen Feeney?" "What's the Matter with Wilson? He's All Right," "And He Carried Oneonta."

In addition to the Company G and Oneonta City bands, Farmer's Drum corps with its martial music, there were bands from Laurens, Hartwick and Cooperstown accompanying large delegations from those villages. Many members of the party from down the valley motored to the city, while the trolley ran special cars from Cooperstown and intervening places.

Confirmation Service St. James Church

Bishop Nelson of the diocese of Albany will confirm a class of 18 adults this evening at St. James church. The service will commence at 7:30 o'clock. As it is not improbable that, owing to the possible election of a coadjutor bishop, this will be the last visit of Bishop Nelson to the church for the purposes of confirmation, it is expected that there will be a large attendance. The following program will be rendered:

Choral Service in G.
Magnificat and nunc Dimittis, E flat. Stainer.
Dimittis, E flat. Stainer.
Anthem—Praise the Lord O Jerusalem. Maunder.
Offertory—The King of Love. Ballard. Soprano solo.

Attending State Federation.

The Woman's club of Oneonta will be represented at the annual meeting of the New York State Federation of Women's clubs held this week at Rochester by Miss Elizabeth M. Blakely, the president, Mrs. A. L. Kellogg, Mrs. G. A. Lane, Mrs. C. H. Gorton and Mrs. E. J. Farley. Mrs. Kellogg, who is a member of the state board, departed on Saturday to attend preliminary board meetings and the other ladies depart this morning. The federation opens on Tuesday and closes on Friday.

Lost—Large grey tiger cat with large front feet, answering to the name of Toodles. Finder please return to A. J. Fox, 256 Main street, or phone 334-J and receive reward. Advt. 2t

We offer for sale for a short time the property at 29 Spruce street. All improvements, including electric lights and hot water heat. Large corner lot. Price $3,600. Campbell Bros. Advt. 3t

Fashion Shop—Look around and then come and see our new coats and suits. We can save you money, upstairs 150 Main street. advt 2t

Thanksgiving turkeys will be scarce, but you can be sure of getting a fine one by placing your order now at C. Spencer's market. advt 2t

Nurse Girl Wanted—One who will assist in housework. Mrs. Earl Fritts, 164 Main street. advt 6t

GIRLS' SEWING CLASS.

Bevy of Over Hundred Little Misses Entreat Admission to Woman's Club.

Annually for several years the members of the Woman's club of this city have conducted a sewing class for the benefit of the little misses of the community who desire to become proficient in the seamstress' art. Each year the number of students has increased until for some time it has been evident that some restrictions as to pupils must be made; and this year the limit was reached. At the opening meeting on November 4, there were more present than teachers or accommodations could be provided for, and very reluctantly a considerable number of applicants could not be accepted. As it is the enrollment of 125, which according to previous experience means a usual attendance of about 100, will with the 17 teachers crowd the club rooms to full capacity.

On Saturday last the second meeting was held and sewing was given out to the pupils in attendance. The faculty of the sewing club congratulates itself on the fact that this season there will be a graduating class of at least 17, being the largest number in the history of the work. This senior class will be under the direct charge of Mrs. G. A. Lane, assisted by Mrs. George E. Moore, Mrs. C. S. Hanks and Mrs. H. W. Lee. The directors of the work are Mrs. Louis C. Gurney and Miss Marion Yager.

Y. M. C. A. ITEMS.

Campaign to Secure 30,000 New Members Starts Tomorrow.

November 14 to 24, marks the time for a big Y. M. C. A. movement throughout the continent. W. G. Shannon, chairman of the local general committee and the six team captains with their workers, are ready to enter into the campaign with high hopes of accomplishing the goal of 100 new men for the Oneonta association.

Teams and captains as follows: Team 1, E. T. Smith, the D. & H. shops; team 2, Albert Hutchinson, the round house; team 3, C. H. Perkins, the transportation department; team 4, W. H. Hickok, the U. & D.; team 5, Jay Bookhout, city; team 6, C. J. Beams, city. The workers already have several new men waiting to become new members on the opening of the campaign, thus showing the favorable spirit and interest in the forward movement.

The final meeting before the campaign starts Tuesday morning, will be held this evening at the rooms, at 7:30 o'clock, where all the captains and workers are urged to be present. Names for prospective members will be selected and all plans completed.

Convention in Binghamton.

The annual convention of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the Wyoming conference is to be held in the Tabernacle church in Binghamton on Thursday and Friday and it is expected that many of the auxiliaries in this section will be represented. Delegates from the local auxiliary will be chosen on Tuesday. Mrs. Burton Todd of Oneonta is to report on the work of the Oneonta district, of which she is the secretary, and Mrs. A. D. Finch of Worcester will report on the temperance work of the society. Mrs. H. W. Lee of this city is to report also of the work for the deaconess home and the orphanage from this district.

ONEONTA THEATRE TONIGHT.

Billy Allen Musical Company in "A Knight for a Day."

The Oneonta theatre will no doubt be filled to overflowing tonight to witness the gala opening of the much-heralded Billy Allen company. To begin the week of dazzling attractions, Mr. Allen offers one of, if not the best of his repertoire, "A Knight for a Day." This extraordinary musical comedy has made two continents laugh and at prices three to four times the ones that prevail during this week's engagement. Billy Allen appears in the character of Johnathan Joy, an alleged lawyer, who is handling a foreign estate for a Sorority Miss at a girls' college in the Adirondacks. Joy is in love with Tillie Day, a member of the "Servant Ladies' union," who also appears at the girls' school in the position of ladies' maid. In this character of Johnathan Joy Billy Allen will be at his best. Besides the hilarious comedy throughout, the big feature is the wonderful musical numbers which, of course, serve to introduce the sprightly and bewitching chorus. These vivacious little beauties are very much in evidence all through the play. Seats now on sale.

STRAND THEATRE TODAY.

Five Reel Vitagraph Feature, On Her Weding Night.

The Strand theatre will present today, afternoon and evening, a five reel Vitagraph feature, "On Her Wedding Night," and "The Patent Food Conveyor," produced under the personal supervision of Albert E. Smith and J. Stuart Blacton. Oneonta movie fans always enjoy a Vitagraph feature as they are in the front rank of film productions.

The program will conclude with a whirlwind Ham and Bud comedy, "The Beach Pickers."

Matinee, 2:15. Evening performances, 7:15 and 9:00. Admission 10c. Children under 12 years, five cents at matinees when accompanied by adults.

Automobile Bargains.

1914 Buick 7-passenger, just repainted; 1915 Buick, 5-passenger; 1916 Velie roadster, wire wheels; 1914 Case 40, 5-passenger, all electrically equipped. R. W. Hume, Wall street, Oneonta. advt 1w

Cider Making.

Will commence making cider October 12, 1916, and continue until November 15, 1916. Bert Butler, Davenport. Advt. 6t

Strand theatre open today. advt 1t

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ORIENTAL RUGS

Mr. Bedrosian is now holding his Annual Fall Sale and Display of Genuine Oriental Rugs. His collection this season is unusually interesting, and to those who wish to inspect or purchase this opportunity should be taken advantage of.

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PERSONALS.

Mrs. John Pitts of Scranton, Pa., is visiting friends in the city.

Miss Hazel Field was a week-end guest of her brother in Utica.

R. E. Carr of Sidney was a business visitor in the city on Saturday.

Mrs. C. Sextus Morris of Portlandville was in Oneonta Saturday on business.

Mrs. W. J. Lesher returned home last evening from a visit with friends in Afton.

Attorney J. S. Waterman of Worcester was in the city Saturday evening on business errands.

Mrs. Jessie Steiner departed Saturday for Delanson, where she expects to spend the winter.

Hon. L. P. Butts is in Syracuse on a short business trip, expecting to return this evening.

Osgood Chapin of Lestershire was in the city on Saturday visiting his father, Edwin E. Chapin.

Mr. and Mrs. Cassius C. Parshall passed Sunday in Middlefield visiting an aged aunt of Mr. Parshall.

Mrs. W. E. Patton returned last evening to her home at Binghamton after a visit with Oneonta friends.

Judge A. L. Kellogg departed yesterday for New York, where he will be for a few days on legal business.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Beeder of Big Flats are the guests of the latter's brother, Franklin J. Ives in this city.

Cyrus Barney returned Saturday evening to his home in Worcester after a visit with his daughters in this city.

A. D. Hitchcock was in the city Saturday evening on his way from Hartwick to Walton, where he is now residing.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Holmes of London avenue departed yesterday for Troy, where they expect hereafter to reside.

Mrs. Clarence E. Holmes, who had been spending a few days at her old home in Worcester, returned home yesterday.

LeMoure Griffin of Scranton, Pa., arrived Saturday evening to visit his father, Rev. Austin Griffin, who is in ill health.

Mrs. Howard Walters of Brooklyn arrived in the city last evening for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Becker.

Mrs. H. Spencer Rowe, who had been in attendance at the D. A. R. convention in Albany, returned home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William LaPine of Worcester returned home last evening after a few days' visit with their daughter, Miss Lena LaPine.

Mrs. H. A. Wiggins of Brooklyn, who has been stopping for some time with friends near Cooperstown, was in Oneonta Saturday on her way home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Ball of St. Johnsbury, Vt., were week-end guests of Miss Eliza E. Gee of the Normal faculty at her residence on Cedar street.

Earle W. Hoyt, now connected with the chief engineer's office of the D. & H. at Albany, passed Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hoyt, in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Knowlton of Cooperstown were in Oneonta yesterday on their way to Harpursville, where they expect to make their home on a farm in the vicinity.

Charles Gross, cigar clerk at the Oneonta hotel, leaves this morning on a four days' vacation, in the course of which he will visit friends and relatives in Poughkeepsie and in New York city.

Carl L. Kellogg, who recently returned with the Binghamton troops from the Texas border and was mustered out of service last week, was the guest yesterday of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Channing Kellogg.

Mrs. M. J. Nugent and son, Burke, are expected to return today from Wilkes-Barre, Pa., to which city they accompanied her daughter, Mary, who is a student at St. Ann's school in that city and who returned to resume her studies.

Mrs. Ada C. Pollock Blundin, principal of the Live Oak school for colored children at Baton Rouge, Louisiana, has been the guest of Katherine L. Dawley of 50 Clinton street for the week-end. She will leave this morning for Hobart.

Mrs. Frank M. Gurney returned last evening from Nyack, where she had been summoned by the death of an aunt. She was accompanied here by her sister, Mrs. John Lovett, of Little Silver, N. J., who will visit her and Mrs. R. B. Colburn, another sister.

T. C. Moore, manager of the New York office of the International Time Recording company, who accompanied Congressman Fairchild from New York to Endicott on Saturday and thence to Oneonta by motor car yesterday, left later in the day for New York city.

Dr. P. L. Winsor of Laurens was in this city last night, taking the evening train for New York city, where he will spend the week receiving special lectures upon the work of town health officials. Dr. Wright of Mt. Vision is caring for his patients during his absence.

Rev. Austin Griffin, D. D., who has been in ill health for some weeks, was not as well Saturday and Sunday, and yesterday a consultation of physicians was held relative to severe stomach trouble with which he is suffering. His many friends are hoping for a speedy recovery.

Rev. and Mrs. T. Pandy John of Stamford, where he is pastor of the Baptist church, were in the city Saturday evening to say farewell here to their daughter, Mrs. Cole, who departed that evening for her home in Rochester, Minn., after an extended visit with them.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bradock of Kansas City, Mo., are guests of Prof. and Mrs. Arthur M. Curtis, Maple street. Mrs. Brobeck will be best remembered by Star readers as Miss Hatfield, formerly principal of the Center street training department of the State Normal school.

Samuel Brice and wife of 12 Norton avenue, leave this morning for Orlando, Florida, where they will as usual spend the winter, returning in May to their home in this city. Mr. Brice has purchased a home in Orlando, and with oranges and other fruits and vegetables of his own growing, finds life in the land of flowers very enjoyable.

Mrs. Elmer Olmstead and son, Mahlon, returned to their home in Schenevus Saturday, after visiting for some time with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abner Walling.

Artemus Bissell, formerly of Milford, who is now employed on the advertising staff of the Evening Mail of New York city, but a resident of East Orange, N. J., was in the city last night on his way home from Milford where he had been to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Celia Bissell Waldron, mention of whose death is made elsewhere in this issue.

MARRIAGES.

Burdick-Norman.

Last Friday evening, at the home of William L. Burdick, the father of the groom, Miss Lillian Normon, daughter of Robert Normon, 50 Pearl street, Portchester, was united in marriage to William Herbert Burdick of Davenport Center.

Promptly at 9 o'clock they were ushered into the presence of about 20 relatives and friends. The ring service being observed and Rev. Newell, pastor of the groom officiating.

Luther Burdick of Oneonta, a brother of the groom, acting as best man and Miss Lillian Burdick, a sister of the groom, acting as bridesmaid.

After the ceremony they partook of a very refreshing meal in a prettily decorated room.

Mrs. Burdick has for the past two years been a student in the Oneonta State Normal school, and is a young and charming lady with a great many friends.

Mr. Burdick was last year employed in Westfield, Mass., but is now employed in Davenport Center.

They both have a large host of friends who extend to them their very best wishes and congratulations for a long and happy wedded life.

Epps-Holmes.

Married, at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage, Sunday afternoon, November 12, at 2:30 o'clock, by Rev. T. P. Hall, PhD., Florence Holmes and Leland Epps, both of West Davenport. They were unattended. The bride was gowned in a navy blue traveling suit with hat to match. The groom is a farmer.

After a wedding journey they will reside on the South Side. The many friends of the young couple extend hearty congratulations.

DEATHS.

Mrs. Celia Bissell Waldron.

Mrs. Celia Bissell Waldron, daughter of the late Norman and Ruth Ward Bissell, long well known residents of Milford, died Thursday last at her winter home at 875 Union street, Brooklyn, aged 79 years. Mrs. Waldron passed the previous summer at her former home which she has retained at Milford and only returned to Brooklyn about a month ago. The body was brought to Milford and the funeral services held from her home there Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, the services being conducted by Rev. N. S. Becker, pastor of the Presbyterian church in that village with interment in the nearby cemetery.

Mrs. Waldron was a lineal descendant of General Artemas Ward, who was in command of the Colonial forces in Massachusetts before Washington took command. Another illustrious ancestor was Commodore Perry of Lake Erie fame. She was greatly beloved by a wide circle of friends. Much of her life was passed in Dansville, this state, where her husband, Rev. Albert Waldron was long pastor of the Lutheran church. Two daughters, Misses Edna and Alberta Waldron of Brooklyn survive her. They were accompanied to Milford by Artemas Bissell of East Orange, N. J., also a former resident of Milford, a cousin. Mrs. Waldron, is well remembered by many of the former residents of Milford.

Funeral of Peter Burgett.

The funeral of the late Peter Burgett was held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at his late home on Reynolds avenue. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends and a profusion of floral tributes testified to the heartfelt regard in which the deceased was held. The service was conducted by Rev. J. C. Treuger of the Lutheran church of the Atonement of this city, and the choir of that church sang "Nearer, My God, to Thee," and "Why Should We Mourn."

The sons and sons-in-law of the deceased acted as bearers and interment was in the family plot at Glenwood.

Friends from out of the city included Mrs. Molly Smith and Mrs. J. W. Smith of Albany and Dr. and Mr. William Burgett and Mrs. Warren Hallenbeck of Middleburgh.

Automobile Bargains.

Overland, starter, electric lights, nice order. Studebaker, three passenger roadster, 1915 model, very fine shape, handsome car, $550. Chevrolet, Baby Grand, driven 1500 miles. Liberal discount. Studebaker, seven passenger, excellent family car, electric starter and lights, a real bargain. Studebaker, six, demonstrator. Stevens Hardware company, Inc. advt tf

For Sale.

Cadillac touring car, special torpedo body, electric starter and lights, also 1916 Ford speedster, will do 60. Cheap if sold at once. Apply to C. H. Washburn, 12 Elm street. advt tf

Christmas money will be spent well when you get cabinet photos at our place. Caulkins Studio, Broad street. advt tf

Phone 340, coal and wood. High grade coal, hard and soft wood. Platt & Howland. advt tf

For Sale—Heavy draft team. The Oneonta Grocery Co. advt tf

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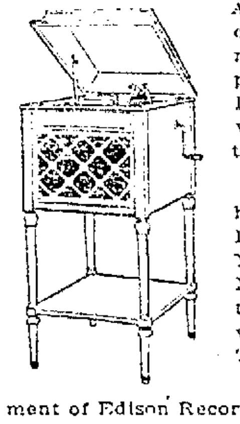

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—One matched pair of road horses and one single driving road horse. Inquire of A. H. Cope, 287 Lower Chestnut street.

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FOR SALE—Ford runabout in good repair, newly painted, bargain $200. George T. Rich, Hobart, N. Y.

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FOR SALE—Second hand Stewart Oak, sitting room stove, No. 160. L. E. Ackerley, Mt. Vision.

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TO RENT—Two furnished rooms, all improvements, gentlemen preferred. 82 Elm street.

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TO RENT—First floor, furnished room. Modern improvements. 40 Grove street.

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FOUND—Black and white hound, one mile east of Mt. Vision. Owner may have same at M. Shove's, Mt. Vision.

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MACHINE OPERATORS WANTED—Our sample season is now on. Clean, light machine work. Good pay stitching samples. Buckley Bros. Co.

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WORK WANTED.

WANTED—By lady with child, position at housework or as housekeeper. No objections to country. Address J. E., care Star.

WASHINGS WANTED—At 6 Hunt street, upstairs.

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FRANK HERRING, 70 Maple street, phone 578, is prepared to do all kinds of teaming and solicits your patronage.

MOVING—By auto truck. M. Johnson, phone 776-W.

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LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED—92 Center street. Mrs. H. Kenyon. Phone 1024-R-2.

STORAGE.

STORAGE—Dry, clean storage for household goods at reasonable rates. H. W. Lee, Star office.

TO RENT—Dry storage. Inquire The French shop.

DRY CLEAN STORAGE — Inquire of A. H. Murdock, Market street.

BOARDERS WANTED.

WANTED—Boarders and roomers at 51 Main street.

WANTED—Boarders at 5 Lawn avenue. Phone 58 W-2.

WANTED—Roomers and boarders, 6 High street, improvements, all rooms warm.

MISCELLANEOUS.

YOUR HOUSE we can sell if in the right location in the city. We have several persons who are looking for a good house for a home. If you want to sell look us up. Caulkins' real estate, 12 Broad street, over Herald office.

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People Notice It. Drive Them Off with Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

A pimply face will not embarrass you much longer if you get a package of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The skin should begin to clear after you have taken the tablets a few nights.

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HOUSING CONDITIONS.

If the planning of cities is to be a success it must make the betterment of housing conditions its first aim. There is a kind of city planning that causes bad housing conditions by lowering the cost of land development, a cost which at present is greatly in excess of what it need be, because no skilled intelligence is used in laying out the land used for building purposes. Hitherto it has been allowed to be filled up in any haphazard way that suits each individual operator in real estate, to be speculated in and boosted in value, to the detriment of the user and without real gain to anybody. The first necessity of good housing is to control all land development by town planning schemes.—American City.

CHILDREN AID CLEANUPS.

Philadelphia Public School Students Make War on Caterpillars.

One hundred and fifty thousand school children have been conducting a war against caterpillars in the city of Philadelphia. This army was called together by John P. Garber, superintendent of public schools. The warfare lasted a week, and the children were shown how to take the gray cottonlike cocoons from the trees. Caterpillars were killed with sharp sticks.

CHILDREN AT WORK ON A CLEANUP.

This caterpillar week is an excellent strategic move in saving the trees of the city.

Children all over the country have been giving good assistance in municipal cleanups. Interest in this excellent and public spirited work has been stimulated by schools and various associations, and the resulting effects have added much to the sanitariness of many municipalities.

"THE CITY WE HOPE TO SEE."

Good Work of the Boy Scouts In Many Municipalities.

[By Clinton Rogers Woodruff, secretary National Municipal league.]

We watch for the evils in city and streets—
look hard, look hard.
We fight for the city we hope to see—on
guard, on guard.
For a city that's happy and clean all
through
We pray for us all, but we fight for you.
There is nothing to get, there is something to do.
What, ho there; ho there, make way for
the city guard.
—Song of the Boston City Guards.

"We fight for the city we hope to see" is the keynote of endeavor. Too many in the past have waited for good conditions and efficient government to be handed to them on a silver salver. If we want improved conditions we must fight for them, just as we must fight for good character if we want it. Fight and pray! That is a good old slogan, but we must give it a new meaning. We must fight and pray for better things—not for glory merely or aggrandizement. These city guards have a hold on the right idea.

Speaking of the city guards brings to mind the boy scouts and the fact that their law requires that "a scout is clean. He keeps clean in body and thought, stands for clean speech, clean sport, clean habits and travels with a clean heart."

It is therefore logical and natural that we hear with constantly increasing frequency of the scouts taking an active part in local "clean up movements." From the New York headquarters we learn that the boy scouts of Beverly, Mass., picked up paper and rubbish from the streets; in New York they devoted several days to the general cleanup of the city; in Toledo, O., they proved helpful to the citizens' committee, which insisted on better sanitary conditions throughout the municipality; in Syracuse and Rochester, N. Y., the schools were halted one day while the scouts carried on a campaign of cleanliness; in Monongahela, Pa., the boy scouts went out on a crusade against tin cans; in Portland, Ore., they cleaned up the back yards, and in New Rochelle fifty scouts cleaned up the back lots. In Washington boy scouts have made a specialty of personal health and sanitation, and so the record goes. And the streets and towns are cleaner, and the boys are learning the lessons of personal responsibility and co-operative citizenship.

Where Needed.

An Irishman on board a steamboat for the first time, seeing a big pile of cork belts, asked what they were and, being told that they were life preservers, remarked, "Thin why don't ye put thim in the hospitals, where people are dyin' an' dyin' all the toime?"—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

ONE WHO FELL IN BATTLE.

ROOM for a soldier! Lay him in the clover,
He loved the fields, and they shall be his cover.
Make his mound with her's who called him once her lover,
Where the rain may rain upon it,
Where the sun may shine upon it,
Where the lamb hath lain upon it
And the bee will dine upon it.

Bear him to no dismal tomb under city churches.
Take him to the fragrant fields by the silver birches,
Where the whippoorwill shall mourn,
Where the oriole perches.
Make his mound with sunshine on it,
Where the bee will dine upon it,
Where the lamb hath lain upon it
And the rain will rain upon it.

Busy as the bee was he, and his rest should be the clover.
Gentle as the lamb was he, and the fern should be his cover.
Fern and rosemary shall grow my soldier's pillow over
Where the rain may rain upon it,
Where the sun may shine upon it,
Where the lamb hath lain upon it
And the bee will dine upon it.

Sunshine in his heart, the rain would come full often
Out of those tender eyes, which evermore did soften.
He never could look cold till we saw him in his coffin.
Make his mound with sunshine on it,
Plant the lordly pine upon it,
Where the moon may stream upon it
And memory shall dream upon it.

"Captain or colonel"—whatever invocation
Suit our hymn the best, no matter for thy station—
On thy grave the rain shall fall from the eyes of a mighty nation.
Long as the sun doth shine upon it
Shall glow the goodly pine upon it,
Long as the stars do gleam upon it
Shall memory come to dream upon it.
—Thomas Wilson Parsons.

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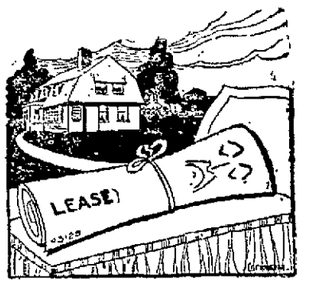

ARE YOU TIRED

of the everlasting rent bills, and the other fellow making the profit?

YOU WILL BE OLD

as well as tired some day and no home of your own if you continue to rent.

TO BE INDEPENDENT

in old age, put your savings in a home now.

WE HAVE A PLAN

whereby you can buy a fine building lot large enough for a garden and poultry on small monthly payments and

WE BUILD YOU A COTTAGE OR BUNGALOW

and you pay for it with the same money you would pay to rent it.

WE CAN SHOW YOU HOW TO GET STARTED

and in a few years you own a home to be proud of.

Come in and talk it over.

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Take Notice:—That the tax roll and warrant for the collection of the special assessment for the construction of concrete sidewalks on the northerly side of Oak street from Ford avenue, to the easterly line of Ingerham's property on the easterly side of Pine street; on the southerly side of Linden avenue, from Ford avenue to Mrs. Williams' property; on the northerly side of Linden avenue, from Ford avenue, to Elm street; on the southerly side of Norton avenue, from Third street to Fourth street; has been placed in my hands and I will be at my office in the Municipal building each day from 9 o'clock in the forenoon until 4 o'clock in the afternoon, excepting from 12 o'clock noon until 1 o'clock in the afternoon, excepting Sundays and holidays, for the next 30 days from the date hereof for the purpose of receiving and collecting the taxes assessed upon such roll. Such collection, and the fees charged, will be in conformity with the city charter of which the following is an extract:

"On all taxes paid within 30 days after giving notice of the reception of this tax roll and warrant, as required by section 187 of the charter of the city of Oneonta, you are hereby directed to receive and collect in addition to the taxes raised in said assessment roll, one per cent additional. On all taxes or assessments remaining unpaid after the expiration of such 30 days, you shall collect and receive five per centum additional, and all remaining unpaid after the expiration of 60 days from such first publication shall bear, and there shall be collected thereon in addition to the said five per centum interest at the rate of one per centum per month from the expiration of 60 days."

I am further commanded to collect such taxes in the manner provided by the charter of the city of Oneonta, N. Y., or in any manner provided by law, of which the following is an extract:

"If any person named in such assessment rolls, shall neglect or refuse to pay taxes assessed therein to him, or the fees for collecting the same, you are hereby authorized to levy and collect such taxes by distress and sale of goods and chattels of such persons within the city, together with the costs and charges of such distress and sale."

Dated Oneonta, N. Y., Nov. 11, 1916.

C. H. BOWDISH,
City Chamberlain.

Delaware & Hudson R. R.

"The D&H"

TIME TABLE

Commencing Sunday Sept. 24, 1916.

Trains will arrive and leave Oneonta as follows

NORTH BOUND.

		Arrive	Depart
303	Morning Express ..	6:13 a m	6:20 a m
305	Saratoga Express ..	9:40 a m	9:45 a m
307	Boston Express ...	11:50 a m	11:55 a m
309	Mont Express	4:10 p m	4:15 p m
311	"Flyer"	8:25 p m	8:35 p m
313	Sunday only	11:40 a m	11:50 a m

SOUTH BOUND.

		Arrive	Depart
300	Binghamton Local		8:20 a m
302	Local Passenger ..	10:35 a m	10:40 a m
304	Chicago Express ..	12:40 p m	12:45 p m
306	Oneonta Local	6:45 p m	7:00 p m
308	Chicago Express ..	6:50 p m	6:55 p m
312	Sleeper	2:30 a m	2:35 a m
314	Sunday only	11:10 a m	11:15 a m
316	Sunday only	7:00 p m	7:05 p m

Trains 311, 313, 314, 316 run Sundays.

Trains leave Oneonta for Cooperstown and intermediate points at 7:10 a. m. 10:25 a. m., and 4:20 p. m. and 6:30 p. m. on week days. Sunday at 11:55 a. m., and 7:10 p. m. Returning arrive at Oneonta at 9:55 a. m. and at 12 m., 4:30 and 6:40 p. m. Sundays at 11:05 a. m. and 6:40 p. m.

Southern New York Railway

Schedule effective September 6.

Trains will leave Oneonta for Herkimer and intermediate points at 8:05, 10:15, 12:15, 2:15, *4:15 and 6:15 p. m. for Hartwick at 7:15 and 9:15 p. m.

Arriving at Hartwick one hour later, at Cooperstown one hour thirty minutes later at Richfield Springs two hours later and Herkimer three hours later.

Trains will arrive at Oneonta as follows: 6:50, 7:47, 9:47, *10:57 and 11:47 a. m. 1:47, 3:47, 5:47, 6:47 and 8:51 p. m.

City Service.

Leave East End (week days) at 6:30, 7:15, 7:45 and every thirty minutes.

Leave Junction (week days) at 6:40, 7:25, 7:55 and every thirty minutes thereafter.

Leave the D. & H. for Normal (week days) at 7:05, 7:35, 8:05 and every thirty minutes.

Leave Normal for D. & H. (week days) at 6:33, 7:19, 8:19, 8:49 and every thirty minutes.

Sundays.

First car leaves Normal at 8:19 a. m., last car at 9:19 p. m.

First car leaves East End at 7:45 a. m. last car at 10:45 p. m.

First car leaves Junction at 7:55 a. m.

Last car leaves West Oneonta for Broad street at 10:50 p. m.

Last car leaves West Oneonta for East End at 10:20 p. m.

*Denotes daily except Sunday.

J. W. NUGENT, G. P. A.

TIME TABLE OF

ULSTER & DELAWARE RR

IN EFFECT SEPTEMBER 10, 1916.

Trains are due to leave this city as follows: *7:20 a. m., s1:15, *3:12 p. m.

Trains are due to arrive as follows: *11:20, s11:55 a. m., *6:45 p. m.

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Women's $4 Satin Slippers	$2.65
Women's $1 House Slippers	69c
Men's $1.50 House Slippers	98c
Boys' Shoes	$1.39, 1.69 and 1.95
Misses' Shoes	$1.39, 1.69 and 1.95
Infant's Shoes	69c, 98c and $1.39

See Other Items In Large Ad., Page 8, Friday's Star.

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Pursuant to an order of Leland M. Cowles, surrogate of the county of Otsego. Notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Ansel M. Lull, deceased, late of the city of Oneonta, in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the undersigned executors of the estate of the said deceased, at the law offices of Dennis J. Kilkenny, in the city of Oneonta, in said county, on or before the 16th day of April, next.

Dated, October 5, 1916.

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The subscription list will be left at the Oneonta theatre box office with Manager Bradner and all those who wish to subscribe for tickets can do so by calling at the Oneonta theatre in person or by calling telephone 1079.

The subscription list will be left open until Wednesday, Nov. 15, at 7 p. m., when Arthur G. Williams, Mr. Cort's personal representative, will arrive in this city and decide whether Oneonta is to have "The Princess Pat" or not.

Charles H. Woodhall in Troy.

One of the most successful of New York state institutions for boys and young men is the Boys' club of Troy, of which Charles H. Woodhall, formerly a resident of this city and an assistant at the local Y. M. C. A., has for several years been superintendent. The club has had an enrollment of 1,236 during the past year. In the 12 months which closed September 1, there were 678 gymnasium classes held, and a total attendance of 47,337 at the gymnasium during the year. Members' attendance during the year was 65,896, and altogether there was great interest manifested in the work. The total receipts were $5,557 last year, and the club already has a permanent fund of $20,000.

Free Baptist Promotion Exercises.

Yesterday was Rally day and promotion day at the Free Baptist Sunday school in this city, and a program of unusual interest was rendered. The exercises began at 12 m., following the regular Sunday services, and included a temperance rally with special program of songs, recitations and special music by the Sunday school orchestra.

Following the regular promotion exercises, diplomas were presented to pupils as follows: 25 from Cradle roll and Beginners' class; 15 from Beginners to Primary, and 30 from Primary to Intermediate. In connection with the presentation Dr. Pendleton gave a brief address.

County Home Filling.

Morris Ackley, superintendent of the county farm at Phoenix Mills, was in the city on business errands Saturday. He reports the county farm now having 118 inmates with the rooms rapidly filling as cold weather approaches. He expects to have nearly 150 inmates before the winter is ended.

Advertised Letters.

Women—Mrs. Wallace Dann, Mrs. I. Hiler, Mrs. F. W. Porter, Miss Bessie Whipple.

Men—O. Baker, William Blanchard, H. P. Brown, Steve Brown, Wm. Brewer, James H. Cox, Frank M. Hill, George Hotaling, Benj. F. Knowler, T. Lynch, Ira L. McNee, Frank Merrill, Arthur Perry, Charles Robinson, William Sargent, John Vroman, F. G. Warner.

Mrs. D. S. Peet Quite Ill.

Mrs. D. S. Peet of Laurens was reported as critically ill last evening and it was feared that she could not long survive.

Active in Pulpit at Ninety-nine.

The Rev. David Jordan Higgins of Pasadena, Cal., former Geneva M. E. church pastor, has just celebrated his ninety-ninth birthday. He is believed to be the oldest minister in the United States who is still active as a preacher and a writer.

Adventure While Asleep.

A six-year-old boy at Hyner, Pa., arose in his sleep and rowed a boat across the river, being found asleep at the oars next day.

YOUR OLD FRIEND
BILLY ALLEN
AT THE THEATRE TONIGHT

NEW YORK "KIDS" ON THANKSGIVING

On Thanksgiving day the visitor to New York city, especially if he extends his observations to the poorer districts of the city, is much amused and interested by the ragamuffins who form a quaint and distinctive part of the city's celebration of the day. These ragamuffins are youngsters of both sexes who dress in all sorts of queer and elaborate costumes and parade the streets.

There is no concerted general parade, but merely local assemblages, seldom over ten or twenty in number. Most of the groups are smaller. To "dress up" the ragamuffins often add begging for small coins, fruit, candy, etc., and it is this feature of the annual masquerading that has led in recent years to a demand for its suppression. Often New York parents will give permission to their children to masquerade, but they add strict injunctions against begging. They are willing to let Johnny or Jennie enjoy the day in the ancient, time honored manner, but they set their faces against mendicancy. "You may dress up and go out, but you mustn't do any begging," is the order.

Many of the young ragamuffins find their greatest joy in arraying themselves in the clothing of the opposite sex. Half grown boys trail long skirts behind them or imitate the fashion when it calls for short skirts. And the hats they wear are wonderful and fearful creations. The little girls like to don trousers and discarded men's hats. Often the boys and girls black their faces, but not many masks are seen. Well known characters are frequently imitated, and in the recent past a certain "movie" comedian with a funny

A FUNNY RAGAMUFFIN.

walk and a laughable little mustache has been much in evidence on Thanksgiving day in the New York streets.

This Thanksgiving mummery in New York, which is not found in any other city, is a local custom, dating back several decades to the old target companies which used to shoot for prizes. They were ward bodies in the days before the districts known as wards were abolished. On Thanksgiving day these target companies assembled and paraded from house to house, visiting the prominent men of each ward. These men, city officials, judges, politicians, etc., gave prizes which were shot for later in the day, and the day's festivities wound up with a ball. The target companies were succeeded by companies of men called "ragamuffins" or "fantasticals," who dressed in fantastic garb on Thanksgiving day. These adult ragamuffins have now been succeeded by the youngsters who "dress up."

In a recent letter an old New Yorker writes thus of the ragamuffins:

"I was interested in reading your article on the subject of the Thanksgiving day mummers, and I am rather surprised that some ancient person in the Greenwich village could not give you some information as to the origin of the custom, which, as far as I know is local to New York.

"In my boyhood in the early seventies there used to parade through the streets on Thanksgiving day bands of grown men, some on foot, some on horseback and others in the two wheeled butcher carts of the day, clad in eccentric and fantastic clothes. These bands or companies called themselves the 'fantasticals' and were called by the people of the street the 'ragamuffins.' They paraded in a spirit of more or less glee and were received with good nature and amusement.

"I used to be told by my elders that the fantasticals paraded in derision and mockery of the militia parades of the time, but their humor was probably leveled against the militia of an earlier date and possibly in memory of the general muster and training of a still earlier day."

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The Electric Fan.

Back in the early eighties Dr. S. S. Wheeler, an electrical engineer of New York, was experimenting with a small electric motor. In the course of his experiments the doctor conceived the idea that steamboats might be run with electricity if the propellers could be directly connected to high speed electric motors, doing away with all the gears then in use in steam propulsion. With this idea in mind he had a small screw propeller constructed and fastened it to the armature shaft of his small motor. To his surprise, the experiment resulted in a fine breeze of cooling air which more than delighted the experimenter, for the day was decidedly hot. It is needless to add that the experiments with screw propellers ended right there, and the engineer took up the study of the electric fan, with the result that he soon perfected the device until it was a commercial success.

Maddening.

"They really fear she will become insane. You see, she found a diary he kept before he married her."

"Oh, I see! And the awful revelations"—

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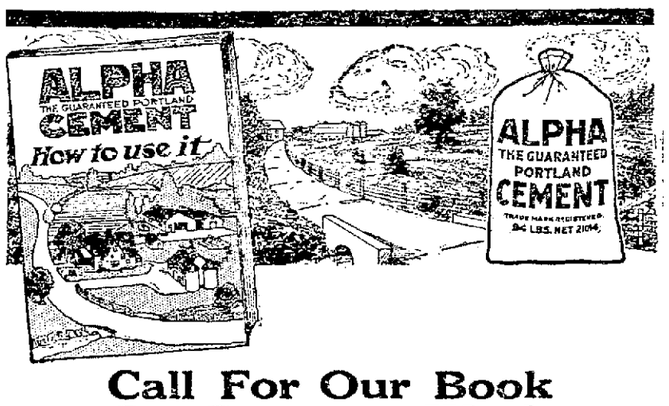

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